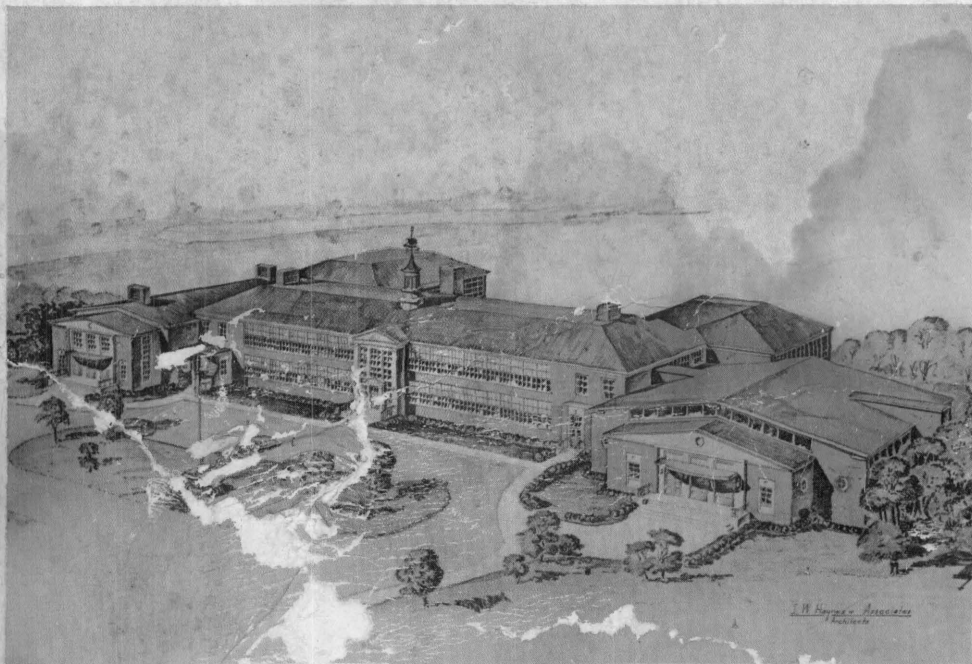


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Falmouth's new Junior-Senior High School as drawn by the Architects

For the Town of
FALMOUTH

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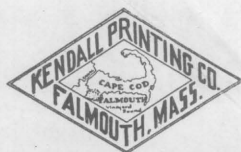
FALMOUTH

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1950



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Falmouth, Mass.
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Town Officers for 1950

Moderator

MILFORD R. LAWRENCE Term Expires 1951

Selectmen, Board of Health, Dept. of Public Welfare

WILLIAM E. ENGLISH	Term Expires	1951
J. EDWARD NICKERSON	" "	1952
CHARLES R. STOWERS	" "	1953

Town Accountant

RAWSON C. JENKINS

Treasurer

EUNICE M. LAWRENCE Term Expires 1953

Collector of Taxes

GEORGE W. HASTAY Term Expires 1953

Assessors

WILLIAM E. ENGLISH	Term Expires	1951
J. EDWARD NICKERSON	" "	1952
CHARLES R. STOWERS	" "	1953

Finance Committee

ROBERT C. NEAL	Term Expires	1951
JOHN R. HUGHES, Sec.	" "	1951
DR. ALFRED C. REDFIELD	" "	1951
MILTON E. WILLIAMSON	" "	1951
NILS A. PETERSON JR.	" "	1951
WILLIAM G. MacDOUGALL	" "	1952
WILLIAM D. BUCK	" "	1952
PAUL MURRAY	" "	1952
BRUNO TASSINARI	" "	1952
FRANK M. MacNAUGHT	" "	1952
JOHN H. HOWE	" "	1953
HORACE S. ESTEY	" "	1953
SAMUEL H. WRIGHT	" "	1953
LAURENCE M. BURDO	" "	1953
MANUEL R. TAVARES (Davisville Road, E. Fal.)	" "	1953

Town Clerk

EUNICE M. LAWRENCE Term Expires 1953

Registrars

GEORGE H. GREENE	ALBERT E. LANDERS
JAMES McINNIS	EUNICE M. LAWRENCE

Planning Board

JOHN DeMELLO	Term Expires 1951
ROBERT W. GRIFFIN	" " 1951
WILLIAM M. GIFFORD	" " 1952
SIDNEY W. LAWRENCE	" " 1952
ELMER W. GIFFORD	" " 1954
GEORGE HARRISON BIGELOW	" " 1955
WILLIAM W. PETERS	" " 1955

Chief of Police

HAROLD L. BAKER

Constables

GARDNER BLOSSOM	Term Expires 1951
ELMER F. WHITE	" " 1951

Chief of Fire Department

RAY D. WELLS

Board of Fire Engineers

RAY D. WELLS	JOHN DeMELLO
ROBERT GOFFIN	JOSEPH TOWERS
DELMAR JENKINS	ALEXANDER ELDREDGE
EUGENE MONIZ	MANUEL R. SOARES
ROGER NOYES	JAMES LYONS
GEORGE WEST	CHAUNCEY CROCKER

Associate Members

GEORGE FERRIS	MILTON R. C. MacWHINNIE
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Sealer of Weights and Measures

WILLIS V. SNOW

Inspector of Wires

JOSEPH A. ROBBINS

Inspector of Plumbing

MILTON R. C. MacWHINNIE

Tree Warden

ANTONE B. COUTO JR.	Term Expires 1952
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Deputy Forest Wardens

GEORGE FERRIS	MILTON R. C. MacWHINNIE
LEIGHTON PECK	MANUEL F. TURNER
THOMAS D. MANCHESTER	EDWARD F. KEMPTON
JOSEPH P. ROSE JR.	ELMER O. ROBBINS

Inspector of Health

HAROLD O. HUNT (deceased)
JOSEPH H. DENTON JR.

Highway Surveyor

NATHAN S. ELLIS	Term Expires 1953
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Harbor Master
CHARLES R. GRINNELL

School Committee

RALPH H. LONG	Term Expires	1951
LAURENCE S. WHITE	" "	1951
JOSEPH H. DENTON JR (resigned)	" "	1952
ROBERT C. TAIT (appointed to Town Meeting, 1951)		
FRANCES M. MacDOUGALL	" "	1952
DONALD B. MacKILLIGAN	" "	1953
ABIGAIL J. P. POWERS	" "	1953

Superintendent of Schools

PAUL DILLINGHAM

Library Trustees

WARREN F. DAVIS	Term Expires	1951
MILFORD R. LAWRENCE	" "	1952
ABIGAIL B. HOPSON	" "	1953

Park Commissioners

MORTON P. FRANCIS	Term Expires	1951
ELLIS M. LEWIS	" "	1952
WILLARD E. BOYDEN	" "	1953

Water Commissioners

JOSEPH R. HALL	Term Expires	1951
ORMAND C. ELLERY	" "	1952
GEORGE R. THAYER	" "	1953

Town Forest Committee

WILFRID WHEELER	DR. ALFRED C. REDFIELD
HARRY V. LAWRENCE	ANTONE B. COUTO JR.
CHIEF, GEORGE G. FERRIS	

Long Pond Water Shed

WATER COMMISSIONERS	TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE
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Ambulance Committee

DR. THOMAS A. WISWALL	DOROTHY MOREHOUSE
DR. HAROLD O. HUNT	RAY D. WELLS
CHIEF, GEORGE G. FERRIS	

Town Survey And Assessors' Maps

CHAIRMAN, ASSESSORS	CHAIRMAN, PLANNING BOARD
CHAIRMAN, FINANCE COMMITTEE	

Christmas Tree Lighting

GRANVILLE BEALE	CHARLES F. MORRISON
ADELARD J. SANSOUCI	C. ELIOT LAWRENCE
NATHAN S. ELLIS JR.	

Aviation Committee

CHARLES L. SWIFT	MORRIS P. FROST
FREDERICK V. LAWRENCE	ROBERT DRAPER
MARVIN ODOM	ARNOLD H. BURROUGH

Shore Erosion Committee

ONE SELECTMAN	TOWN SURVEY ENGINEER
CHAIRMAN FINANCE COMMITTEE	HIGHWAY SURVEYOR
HARBOR MASTER	W. RUSSELL NICKERSON
MILTON C. FISH	

Falmouth Planting Committee

Member of Board of Selectmen	Tree Warden
Chairman of Park Commissioners	Highway Surveyor
Member of Village Improvement Society	
Member of the Town Forestry Committee	Member of Planning Board
Member of the Garden Club	William M. Gifford

Committee On Sewerage Disposal Study

ONE MEMBER BOARD OF HEALTH	DR. CHARLES PACKARD
DR. LEWIS C. WEEKS	ROBERT C. NEAL
ONE MEMBER OF PLANNING BOARD	

Care And Upkeep Of Town Cemetery

FRANK E. WORCESTER	DELMAR R. JENKINS
AZEL C. YOUNG	

Community Center Building Repair and Improvement Committee

JOHN E. OVERY, Chairman	BOARD OF SELECTMEN
RALPH LANDERS	HAROLD A. DAVIS
ARTHUR P. CHASE	

Managing Board Of Falmouth Recreation Building
(appointed by the Moderator)

DR. CHARLES B. REGAN	Term Expires	1951
JOSEPH B. MISKELL JR.	" "	1951
JOHN H. HOWE	" "	1951
JOSEPH MOTTA	" "	1952
WILLARD E. BOYDEN	" "	1952
MRS. MILDRED L. HADLEY	" "	1952
JAMES McINNES	" "	1953
MRS. VIVIAN BROWN	" "	1953
MRS. ROSALINE H. McLANE	" "	1953

Veterans' Advisory Committee

ROY A. BERG	RALPH I. MALOON
FRANK E. WORCESTER	REV. LESLIE F. WALLACE
JOSEPH MOTTA	ROLAND H. CHOATE
REV. JOHN J. KELLEY	DR. JOSEPH H. DENTON JR.
RUSSELL B. MARSHALL	REV. J. M. BETTENCOURT AVILA
MARIAN V. BENNETT	

Study Of Falmouth Heights Corner Traffic

WILLIAM E. ENGLISH, Chm. of Selectmen	CHARLES A. WHITE
NATHAN S. ELLIS JR., Highway Surveyor	GEORGE H. BIGELOW
WILLIAM G. MacDOUGALL	

Railroad Transportation Committee

FREDERICK V. LAWRENCE C. EDWARD HALL
NOAH M. GEDIMAN

Committee To Investigate School Building Needs

ROBERT C. TAIT HERBERT E. HUNZIKER
SCHOOL COMMITTEE JAMES M. PAFFORD
HERBERT I. McLANE MEMBER OF PLANNING BOARD

Committee To Study A Suitable Memorial To All War Dead

DELMAR R. JENKINS ALVAN L. NICKERSON
PAUL DINGWELL MRS. ARTHUR S. WEEKS
MRS. HELEN A. JAMES MORTON P. FRANCIS
ROBERT W. GRIFFIN

North Falmouth Fire Station Building Committee

JOHN H. HOWE JOSEPH R. TOWERS JR.
ROGER F. NOYES, Fire Engineer JOHN E. OVERY
A member of Finance Committee A member of Planning Board

Committee To Study Possibilities Of Air

Transportation Services At Coonamessett Airport

WILLIAM G. MacDOUGALL, Chairman of Finance Committee
WILLIAM E. ENGLISH, Chairman of Selectmen
GEORGE H. BIGELOW, Chairman of Planning Board
CHARLES L. SWIFT, Chairman Aviation Committee
and Three Representatives, Board of Trade:
JOHN R. PETERSON HENRY J. WELCH JR. HAROLD L. BAKER

Committee On Exchange Of Portion Of

Sidney Lawrence Land With Portion Of Goodwill Park Property

PARK COMMISSIONERS FINANCE COMMITTEE
MEMBERS OF PLANNING BOARD

Committee For Study Of Parking Meters

Chairman, Planning Board President of Board of Trade
One member of Finance Committee

Town Meeting Members

PRECINCT I

Quota 33

Term Expires 1951

Roy A. Berg
Madeline P. Broadbent
Theodore L. Chase
George G. Ferris
Elizabeth A. Gifford
Frederick V. Lawrence
Robert C. Neal
John Tait
Florence L. Tinkham
James P. Warbasse
Eugene E. Young

Term Expires 1952

Gardner Blossom
Elsie G. Cahoon
Samuel T. Cahoon
Charles R. Grinnell
Theodore M. Joseph

Sidney W. Lawrence
James E. Lowey
Frank E. MacNaught
Paul Murray
Gilbert Oakley, Jr.
Francis C. Ryder

Term Expires 1953

Dorothy Berg
Robert A. Goffin
George A. Griffin
Bostwick H. Ketchum
C. Eliot Lawrence
Eugenia Swift Lawrence
Josephine W. Lawrence
Wilbur M. Merrill
Frederick deW. Pingree
Alfred C. Redfield
Mary Sears

PRECINCT II

Quota 54

Term Expires 1951

George Harrison Bigelow
Ruth M. Boyatt
Arnold H. Burrough
Newell I. Colson
Faith W. Craig
Milton C. Fish
Marion L. Gifford
Edwin L. Gray
Cedric K. Hadley
Mildred L. Hadley
Richard H. Hopkins
John R. Hughes
Herbert E. Hunziker
Robert L. Kendall
Sarah L. MacKilligan
Forris W. Norris
William W. Peters
Maurice F. Watson

Term Expires 1952

Marian V. Bennett
James W. Boyatt
Edwin T. Bryant
Ethel H. Cameron
Augustine J. Carriuolo
Melvina D. Crosby
Sumner Crosby
G. Blaine Darrah, Jr.
Hugh Duglay
Morton P. Francis
Fred T. Lawrence, Jr.
Harry V. Lawrence
Lewis H. Lawrence
William J. Lockhart
Herbert I. McLane
Ronald L. McLane
Ruth B. Newcomb
John P. Sylvia, Jr.

Term Expires 1953

Harold L. Baker, Jr.
 Willard E. Boyden
 Clarence M. Cobb
 Clayton W. Collins
 Stella M. Collins
 Robert W. Donnelly
 Arthur C. Eastman, Jr.
 Delmar R. Jenkins
 Ellen H. Jones

Anne Thompson Lawrence
 Milton R. C. MacWhinnie
 Robert D. McDonald
 Madeline McLane
 Gordon I. Miller
 James M. Pafford
 Ernest A. Sterling
 Carl L. Watson
 Laurence S. White

PRECINCT III

Quota 54

Term Expires 1951

Roland H. Choate
 Bessie L. Fuller
 Noah M. Gediman
 Arthur F. Hamilton
 Roland E. Isherwood, Jr.
 Charles M. Lawrence
 Marion C. Lawrence
 Hume G. MacDougall
 Antone Mogardo
 Elizabeth Barton Murray
 Charlotte L. Nickerson
 Marvin R. Odom
 Mary Fellows Waterman
 Mildred J. Wells
 Allen C. Williams
 Hazel L. Williams
 Beatrice H. Wormelle
 Frederick W. Wormelle, Jr.

Term Expires 1952

Howard F. Barrows
 Richard J. Breivogel
 Joseph Brown
 Paul Dillingham
 John J. Fay, Jr.
 Mabel J. Fox
 Joseph R. Hall
 Peter G. Karalekas
 Oscar H. Lefevre

Charles H. MacDougall
 William G. MacDougall
 Donald W. MacQuarrie
 Joseph B. Miskell
 Armand Ortins
 Carl F. Palmer
 Russell C. Palmer
 Louis Rabesa, Jr.
 Milton R. Thompson

Term Expires 1953

John R. Augusta
 Thomas Ferreira
 Joseph Figuerido
 Frederick C. Fish
 Robert B. Gushee
 Frederick E. Hazelton
 Edward F. Kempton
 Betsey M. MacDougall
 Henry L. Meyer
 Alice Mogardo
 Roger A. Murray
 Alvan L. Nickerson
 Joseph A. Robbins
 Alfred L. Welch
 Henry J. Welch, Jr.
 Ray D. Wells
 Ray D. Wells, Jr.
 Winnona F. Williams

PRECINCT IV

Quota 33

Term Expires 1951

Francis G. Boggs, Jr.
 Robert F. Carey
 Hilda H. Coppage
 Harold A. Davis
 John DeMello
 Eli Kenyon
 Angelo S. Pacheco
 Manuel R. Rebello, Jr.
 Anna W. Servis
 M. Moore Swift
 Antone Vieira

Term Expires 1952

Otis C. Baker
 Ethelyn P. Boggs
 William D. Buck
 Hattie E. Carver
 Thomas A. Eastman

Chester A. Fisher
 Fred P. Rose
 Joseph P. Rose
 Frank Simmons
 Charles Lawrence Swift
 John Sylvia

Term Expires 1953

Arlene L. Bumpus
 Frederick F. Bumpus
 Laura E. Davis
 Mary DeMello
 John Gracia DeRose
 Manuel B. Pacheco, Jr.
 George Pinto
 Manuel F. Rapoza
 Manuel O. Souza
 Blanche D. Sylvia
 Frank E. Worcester

PRECINCT V

Quota 33

Term Expires 1951

Edward N. Dahlborg
 C. Edward Hall
 Ray S. Hall
 J. Stewart Harlow
 John H. Howe
 Pauline L. Mead
 John E. Overy
 Mary N. Overy
 Harold S. Underwood
 Ralph J. Waite
 Chester A. Wright

Term Expires 1952

Grover Bowman
 Arthur P. Chase
 John R. Friar
 Elmer W. Gifford
 Albert D. Hall

Liverus H. Howe
 Harold O. Hunt (deceased)
 Roger F. Noyes
 Charles B. Regan
 Robert C. Tait
 George F. West

Term Expires 1953

Ethel B. Allen
 Roy W. Allen
 Harold Lee Baker
 Frances G. Fowle
 Lawrence D. Hinckley
 Adelaide R. Howe
 Hollis Jennings
 Joseph B. Merrick
 Vivian H. Randall
 Joseph R. Towers, Jr.
 Thomas J. Walker, Jr.

Report of the 1950 Annual Town Meeting and Election

Annual Meeting Held February 14th, 15th & 16th Election Held February 21st.

In accordance with the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting and Election duly published and posted as directed, the voters met at the Elizabeth Theatre Tuesday, February 14th at 7:30 o'clock P. M. to act upon the articles contained therein:—

The tellers appointed and sworn to office were:—

Albert E. Landers Hugh Duglay John O. Henriksen

Officers in attendance were:—

James W. Boyatt Arthur W. Robichaud

William B. Hastings was sworn as stenographer for the duration of the meeting.

At 7:36 o'clock the meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Milford R. Lawrence. The town meeting members were counted and 138 declared present, number necessary to constitute a quorum for this meeting was 114.

The invocation was given by the Reverend Joseph L. Powers of St. Patrick's Church, Falmouth.

The hours of the meeting were left subject to the will of the House.

Article 1. (Re: Election of town officers by ballot—see subsequent report of Election—Feb. 21st.)

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the standing votes of the Town of Falmouth as printed in the Town Report of 1949 for the year 1950.

Voted, to adopt the standing votes as printed in the Town Report of 1949 for the year 1950. Attention was brought to the Planning Board By-Laws and regulations printed in the 1949 Report which are no longer effective as the Town has accepted Sec. 81F to 81J, Chap. 41 Gen. Laws as amended by Chap. 211, Acts of 1936 and also Sec. 81A, Chap. 41 Gen. Laws as amended by Chap. 211, Acts of 1936.

Article 3. To choose all other necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing, including the election of the Recreation Commission.

We recommend.

See List—Committees for 1950.

Recreation Commission was discontinued at the Annual Town Meeting of 1948 and therefore no action taken on this particular part of article.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service as provided in Chapter 128, Sections 40 and 41 of the General Laws.

Voted, Maurice R. Jones be so elected.

Article 5. To hear the Reports of Committees and Town Officers and act thereon, and make any necessary appropriations.

Voted, to accept the reports of Committees and Town Officers as printed in the Town Report for 1949.

Committees on the Veterans Honor Roll and Construction of a Dock at Town Landing, Great Harbor, Woods Hole being no longer necessary were discharged with thanks for all their work.

Report of Committee to Study a Suitable Memorial to All War Dead was read by Delmar R. Jenkins, Chairman. This was accepted with the understanding that the Town will not be required to carry out all the provisions as recommended by the Committee.

Report of Committee on Street Names was read by Mrs. Ermine W. Lovell, Chairman. This was accepted and thanks extended to the Committee, now dissolved, for serving in this capacity. It was voted that the Planning Board be instructed to give consideration to the duplication of street names and try and straighten out this difficulty.

A report of the spraying done in Falmouth in connection with the Cape spraying program was read by Antone B. Couto, Jr., Moth Supt. as well as a report given by William G. MacDougall regarding the Study of Falmouth Heights Corner Traffic.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1950 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, of the General Laws.

Voted, to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1950 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, of the General Laws. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Cape & Vineyard Electric Company to light the streets for the coming year or take any other action thereon.

Voted, to authorize the Selectmen to contract with the Cape & Vineyard Electric Company to light the streets for the coming year.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to settle claims and suits which are pending or may arise against the Town and to raise and appropriate such amount therefor as may be deemed advisable.

Voted, to authorize the Selectmen to settle claims and suits which are pending or may arise against the Town and to raise and appropriate \$500.00 for said purpose.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be deemed necessary to defray the Town's expenses for the ensuing year or do or act anything else in relation to the same.

See Budget for 1950—At end of Report. (completed and laid on table at 8:45)

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to fix the salaries of all elected officials, or take any other action in the matter.

Voted, that the salaries of the elected Town officials be established as follows:—

Moderator	\$27.23 per session
	Annual Town Meeting
	15.62 per session
	Special Town Meeting
Selectmen	1,200.00 each
Assessors	2,300.00 each
Town Treasurer	2,000.00
Town Clerk	900.00
Collector of Taxes	3,150.00 All fees collected to be returned to the Town Treasurer
Highway Surveyor	3,536.00
Water Commissioners	340.32 each

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Accountant to transfer the following appropriation balances to Excess and Deficiency Account or take any other action on the matter.

Fire Department Ladder Truck	\$163.80
Fire Chief's Car	156.24
Fire Alarm Truck	19.52
Tree Warden's power saw	214.90
Highway Repair Shop	17.75
Chap. 90 Construction (1947)	120.41
Chap. 90 Maintenance (1948)	62.63
Chap. 90 Construction (1948)	68.48
Deacons Avenue, Widen and Grade	100.00

Land Damage, Sandwich Road	7.00
Clinton Avenue hardening	.56
Bay Road hardening	17.76
Woods Hole Main St., hardening	16.71
Maravista Avenue, hardening	71.20
Deacons Avenue, hardening	3.91
Brick Kiln Road, hardening	1.71
Waquoit-East End Road, hardening	1.82
Teaticket Path, hardening	18.57
Silver Beach Avenue, sidewalks	8.66
Christmas Street Lights, 1948	.02
Eel Pond Channel Sea Wall Repairs (1941)	2,000.00
Great Harbor Dock	1.44
Public Welfare 1948 Bills	150.00
School Site Expense	9.25
Chapel Park Curbing	12.78
Woods Hole Playground	.55
Community Center Building, repairs	41.18
Recreation Building, exterior painting	1,035.00
Recreation Building, interior painting	667.00
Legion Hall, alterations	.15
On petition of Town Accountant.	

Voted, to authorize the Town Accountant to transfer the above appropriations as listed, to the Excess and Deficiency Account.

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the following sums of money for 1949 or other unpaid bills received too late for payment from 1949 appropriations, viz:—

Selectmen's Department:

William B. Hastings, reporting Special Town Meeting	\$224.40
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Fire Department:

Cape & Vineyard Electric Company	63.00
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Police Department:

The Wood Lumber Company	.30
Falmouth Auto Sales Company	228.95
George A. Hubbard	17.25
Knowles Electric Company	12.45

Ambulance Department:

Dr. James L. Chute	75.00
Dr. D. E. Higgins	5.00
Dr. George C. Bourne	25.00

Dr. Thomas A. Wiswall	6.00
Cape Cod Hospital	9.25
Legion Hall:	
Alexander Pate 1947-1948	24.00
School Committee:	
Cape & Vineyard Electric Company, 1947	240.60
Moth Department:	
Fitzhenry-Guptill Company	343.65
Community Center:	
Gulf Oil Company	133.99
On petition of Board of Selectmen.	

Voted, to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,408.84 for unpaid bills of the various departments as listed in above article. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Accountant to transfer the following balances to Water Department Surplus:

Old Meeting House Road, extension	\$.75
Mill Road Acres	1.66
Sandwich Road, extension	3.35

On request of the Water Commissioners.

Voted, to authorize the Town Accountant to make the above transfers as requested.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to transfer \$15,253.01 from Water Department Surplus to improvement or replacement of pumping station's equipment, or take any other action in this matter.

On petition of Water Commissioners.

Voted, to make the transfer as requested. Passed by an affirmative vote.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to execute easements to Cape & Vineyard Electric Company over properties held by the Town under tax titles.

On petition of Board of Selectmen.

Voted, that the Town does authorize the Board of Selectmen to execute easements to Cape & Vineyard Electric Company over properties held by the Town under Tax Title. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500. to be paid to the Cape Cod Hospital for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Hospital for care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment, in accordance with Section 74, Chapter 111 of the General Laws or take any action in relation thereto and act fully thereon.

On request of the Board of Selectmen.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$500. to be paid to the Cape Cod Hospital for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Hospital for care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment, in accordance with Section 74, Chapter 111 of the General Laws. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1650. for the purpose of policing and restricting Old Silver Beach or take any other action in the matter.

On request of the Board of Selectmen.

Laid on table for later consideration, no further action was taken however by the Meeting.

Article 18. To see if the Town will accept the doings of the Selectmen in laying out the following roads:

- A. Hinckley Road, East Falmouth near East Falmouth Park 40 feet wide and about 1,100 feet long.
- B. Spring Bars Road, Teaticket, from Main Street to land of John C. Beaton.
- C. Bay View Avenue, Acapesket, from Vineyard Street to Menauhant Road.
- D. Sumner Street, Woods Hole, approximately 300 feet.
- E. Continuation of West end of Hilton Avenue, Woods Hole, approximately 344 feet from Leslie Street to Sumner Street.
- F. Bay Street from Crescent Avenue, to Wild Harbor Avenue, Silver Beach.
- G. Curtis Street, Falmouth, a distance of 700 feet, 24 feet wide.
- H. F. R. Lillie Road, Woods Hole.
- I. Morgan Road, Woods Hole.
- J. Jacques Loeb Road, Woods Hole.
- K. Harbor Hill Road, from State Highway, Woods Hole, to Quissett Avenue.

- L. Johnson Road, Falmouth, from Jericho Path to Lake Leman Road.
- M. Holland Street, Falmouth, from Jericho Path to Lake Leman Road.

and raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be deemed necessary or advisable therefor.

On request of the Board of Selectmen.

Voted, to accept the layout of the following roads:—

- A. Indefinitely postponed.
- B. Spring Bars Road, Teaticket, from Main Street to land of John C. Beaton. \$10.00 raised and appropriated, to be expended under supervision of the Selectmen. Unanimous vote.
- C. Bay View Avenue, from Vineyard Street to Menauhant Road, Acapesket, being 600 feet in length and 40 feet in width as shown on "Plan of Lots at Acapesket, Falmouth, Mass. June 1923, Aspinwall & Lincoln, Civil Engineers." Unanimous vote.
- D. Sumner Street, Woods Hole, approximately 300 feet. \$10.00 raised and appropriated to be expended under supervision of the Selectmen. Unanimous vote.
- E. Continuation of West end of Hilton Ave., Woods Hole, approximately 344 feet from Leslie Street to Sumner Street. \$10.00 raised and appropriated to be expended under supervision of the Selectmen. Unanimous vote.
- F. Bay Street from Crescent Avenue, to Wild Harbor Avenue, Silver Beach. \$10.00 raised and appropriated, to be expended under supervision of the Selectmen. Unanimous vote.
- G. Curtis Street, Falmouth, a distance of 700 feet 24 feet wide. \$10.00 raised and appropriated, to be expended under supervision of the Selectmen. Unanimous vote.
- H. F. R. Lillie Road, Woods Hole. \$10.00 raised and appropriated, to be expended under supervision of the Selectmen. Unanimous vote.
- I. Morgan Road, Woods Hole. \$10.00 raised and appropriated to be expended under supervision of the Selectmen. Unanimous vote.
- J. Jacques Loeb Road, Woods Hole. \$10.00 raised and appropriated, to be expended under supervision of the Selectmen. Unanimous vote.
- K. Harbor Hill Road, from State Highway, Woods Hole to Quissett Avenue. \$860. raised and appropriated, of this amount \$110. to be expended under supervision of the Selectmen and \$750. to be expended under supervision of the Highway Surveyor. 118 voted affirmative, 19 negative and motion prevailed with necessary two-thirds vote.

- L. Johnson Road, Falmouth, from Jericho Path to Lake Leman Road. \$10.00 raised and appropriated, to be expended under supervision of the Selectmen. Unanimous vote.
- M. Holland Street, Falmouth, from Jericho Path to Lake Leman Road. \$10.00 raised and appropriated, to be expended under supervision of the Selectmen. Unanimous vote.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a Town Engineer to do the engineering and survey work for all Town Departments, Boards and Committees; to raise and appropriate \$7500. for said purposes; and to do anything else or take any other action in order to accomplish said purposes.

On request of the Board of Selectmen.

Referred to the next Annual Town Meeting for further study.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 to be used for the payment of bounties for the destruction of woodchucks, such bounties to be paid in accordance with the requirements and regulations which may be made by the Board of Selectmen.

On petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$100.00 and paid under supervision of the Selectmen.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 to be used for the payment of bounties for the destruction of foxes, such bounties to be paid in accordance with the requirements and regulations which may be made by the Board of Selectmen.

On petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$100.00 and paid under supervision of the Selectmen.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to transfer to the Water Commissioners control of a certain parcel of land bordering Long Pond for the protection of the public water supply of the Town, said parcel consisting of an area approximately 500 feet wide, said area being a portion of Goodwill Park and being shown on a plan to be filed with the Selectmen.

On request of the Water Commissioners.

Voted, to transfer to the Water Commissioners control of a certain parcel of land bordering Long Pond for the protection of the public water supply of the Town, said parcel consisting of an area approximately 500 feet wide, said area being a portion of Goodwill Park and being shown on a plan to be filed with the Selectmen. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Sewerage Committee to make an investigation and study of sewerage on Main Street, Falmouth, and report at the next town meeting its findings and recommendations, or take any other action in these matters.

On petition of the Board of Health.

Voted, that the Town instruct the present Sewerage Committee to make an investigation and study of sewerage on Main Street, Falmouth, and report at the next annual town meeting its findings and recommendations, and \$300. be raised and appropriated for said purposes.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to lay out, construct, maintain and operate a system or systems of sewerage and sewage disposal for the center or in the vicinity of the center of Falmouth Village or including adjoining sites additional to Falmouth Village so-called, said system to be constructed with treatment disposal areas and filter beds or with outlets in the tide waters of Vineyard Sound as may be determined by the Town's votes and to see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary therefor, a portion thereof to be raised in the tax levy of the current year or from other available funds and the balance to be raised by notes or bonds of the Town issued in legal form therefor; and take any and all other action for said purposes including the taking or purchase of land, easements of land or other interests or rights as may be necessary or advisable; and to see if the Town will appoint or elect a Sewerage Construction Committee or Sewer Commissioners, or take any and all other action for said purposes as authorized under Chapter 288 of the Acts of 1928 as amended by Chapter 153 of the Acts of 1947.

On request of the Board of Health.

Postponed to the next Annual Town Meeting.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500.00 for the purchase of a pick-up truck to replace the present 1938 service truck now in use, or take any other action thereon.

On request of George G. Ferris, Chief, Board of Fire Engineers.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$1,500.00 to purchase a pick-up truck to replace the present 1938 service truck now in use, said sum to be expended under supervision of the Fire Engineers.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote, subject to the approval of the School Committee, to transfer the jurisdiction of Goodwill Park and the care and management thereof to the Board of Park Commissioners and raise and appropriate \$1,000.00 for such care and management, or take any other action in these matters.

On petition of the Park Commissioners.

Voted, that subject to the approval of the School Committee, to transfer the jurisdiction of Goodwill Park and the care and management thereof to the Board of Park Commissioners, with the exception of that portion placed under jurisdiction of the Water Commissioners in previous vote contained in Article 22 and that \$1,000.00 be raised and appropriated. Said sum to be expended under supervision of the Park Commissioners.

Voted, that subject to the approval of the School Committee, to transfer the jurisdiction of Goodwill Park and the care and management thereof to the Board of Park Commissioners, with the exception of that portion placed under jurisdiction of the Water Commissioners in previous vote contained in Article 22 and that \$1,000.00 be raised and appropriated. Said sum to be expended under supervision of the Park Commissioners.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Thousand Five Hundred (\$7,500.) Dollars to meet the Town's share of the cost of Chapter 90 Highway Construction, and in addition to authorize the transfer of Twenty-two Thousand Five Hundred (\$22,500.) Dollars from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury to meet the State's and County's share of the cost of the work, the reimbursement from the State and County to be restored upon their receipt to such unappropriated available funds in the Treasury, and take any other appropriate action on these matters for these purposes.

On petition of the Highway Surveyor.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$7,500. to meet the Town's share of the cost of Chapter 90 Highway Construction, and in addition to authorize the transfer of \$22,500. from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury to meet the State's and County's share of the cost of the work, the reimbursement from the State and County to be restored upon their receipt to such unappropriated available funds in the Treasury. Passed by affirmative vote.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Nine Thousand Five Hundred (\$9,500.) Dollars for the purpose of purchasing a crawler-type tractor with dozer shovel attachment and blade for the use of the Highway Department, or take any other action on this matter.

On petition of the Highway Surveyor.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$9,500. for purpose requested. Said sum to be expended under supervision of the Highway Surveyor.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Thousand Five Hundred (\$4,500.) Dollars for the purpose of building seven hundred (700) feet of sidewalk on Minot Street, three hundred (300) feet on Nye Road, four hundred (400) feet on Queen Street, seven hundred (700) feet on Robinson Road, one thousand five hundred (1,500) feet on Oyster Pond Road and the Fells Road, or take any other action in these matters.

On request of the Highway Surveyor and petition of residents of the above mentioned streets.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$2,625. for the purpose of building 700 feet of sidewalk on Minot Street; 400 feet of sidewalk on Robinson Road; 1000 feet of sidewalk on Oyster Pond Road; said amount to be expended under the supervision of the Highway Surveyor.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand (\$2,000.) Dollars, the same amount raised and appropriated in 1949 for Chapter 90 Maintenance, and in addition to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand (\$1,000.) Dollars more to meet the Town's share of Chapter 90 1950 Highway Maintenance, and appropriate from available funds the sum of Six Thousand (\$6,000.) Dollars to finance the State's and County's share of the work, such sum to be reimbursed upon receipt of payment from the Town and County or take any other action in these matters.

On petition of the Highway Surveyor.

Voted, to transfer the 1949 appropriation of \$6,000. for Chapter 90 Maintenance to 1950 Chapter 90 Maintenance and also for this purpose raise by taxation \$1,000. and transfer from available funds \$2,000. to finance the State and County share of the work. Said sum to be reimbursed upon payment from the State and County, and expended under the supervision of the Highway Surveyor. Passed by affirmative vote.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 for shore protection to be expended under the direction of the Shore Erosion Committee.

On request of the Shore Erosion Committee.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$1,000. for shore protection, said sum to be expended under direction of the Shore Erosion Committee. Passed by affirmative vote.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 for the purpose of trimming dead wood from elm trees for the prevention of Dutch Elm Disease.

On request of the Tree Warden.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$2,000. for purpose requested. Said amount to be expended under supervision of the Tree Warden.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00 for spraying elm trees in the Town of Falmouth with DDT to control the Bark Beetle for prevention of the Dutch Elm Disease.

On request of the Tree Warden.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$2,500. for purpose requested. Said sum to be expended under supervision of the Tree Warden.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 for clearing of cherry brush along the roadside in the Town of Falmouth.

On request of the Tree Warden.

Indefinitely postponed.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$600.00 to purchase a second hand pick-up chassis and install blower on same.

On request of the Tree Warden.

Indefinitely postponed.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,100.00 to dredge at the bulkhead in Quisset Harbor.

On request of Charles R. Grinnell, Harbor Master.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$1,100. for purpose requested. Said sum to be expended under supervision of the Harbor Master. Passed by affirmative vote.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for use by the Aviation Committee or Aviation Commission the sum of \$1,200.00 or other appropriate amount or act anything else for such purposes.

On request of the Aviation Committee, Charles L. Swift, Chairman.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$1,200. for purpose requested. Said sum to be expended under direction of the Aviation Committee. Passed by affirmative vote.

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$800.00 for the purpose of replacing and maintaining Christmas street lights during the 1950 Christmas Season or act anything else in this matter.

On request of the Christmas Tree Lighting Committee, Granville Beale, Chairman.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$800. for said purpose. This sum to be expended under supervision of the Christmas Tree Lighting Committee, and this Committee be instructed to expend the money on an exhibit on the Village Green. 90 voted affirmative and 38 negative and motion prevailed.

After Article 38 had been acted upon the following was passed: Voted to adjourn this meeting to the following evening February 15th at 7:30 o'clock P. M. at the same place.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 15th

At 7:30 o'clock P. M. the meeting was called to order, a count of the Town Meeting Members showed 140 were present and a quorum declared.

The invocation was offered by Rev. Ralph H. Long, Pastor of The First Congregational Church, Falmouth.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000.00 for the purpose of advertising the Town through the Board of Trade as has been done in the past few years or do anything else in this matter or for this purpose.

On request of the Board of Trade, Granville Beale, Chairman.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$1,000. for the above purpose. Passed by affirmative vote.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to continue the Falmouth Planting Committee in office and raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500. for further planting of trees and flowering shrubs throughout the Town under the supervision of said Committee, or take any other action in this matter.

On petition of the Garden Club.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$1,000. for purpose of the article, to be expended under the supervision of the Falmouth Planting Committee. Passed by affirmative vote.

Article 41. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate an additional sum of money for the purpose of extending its water mains not less than six inches in diameter from Central Avenue, Menauhant, Westerly along Menauhant Road a distance of approximately 1,700 feet, said cost being estimated at \$1,500. and to be raised from tax levy, water revenue, water surplus or other available sources or by notes or bonds of the Town in legal form therefor. The aforesaid amount being in addition to the amount of \$7,000. appropriated for this proposed extension under Article 30 in the Annual Town Meeting for 1948, and being required to complete the extension because of the increased cost of materials and labor since 1947, said additional cost to be subject to a nine (9%) per cent guarantee.

On request of the Water Commissioners.

Referred to next Annual Town Meeting.

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to extend the water mains by laying pipes from Oyster Pond Road along certain private ways known as Lillie Road, Morgan Road, and Jacques Loeb Road, requiring a total of approximately 1720 feet of 6-inch pipe and approximately 100 feet of 2-inch pipe, the estimated cost being \$7,500.00 and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose by tax levy, water revenue, water surplus, or by notes or bonds of the Town issued in legal form therefor, said extension being subject to a 9% guarantee.

On petition of Marine Biological Laboratory, by Charles Packard, Director and others.

Voted, to extend the water mains by laying pipe from Oyster Pond Road along certain ways known as Lillie Road, Morgan Road, and Jacques Loeb Road, a total distance of approximately 1720 feet of pipe, not less than 6 inches in diameter, and 100 feet of pipe 2 inches in diameter, said extension being subject to a 9% guarantee and also to obtaining the necessary easements in said ways, and to raise and appropriate the total sum of \$7,500 for said purpose as follows: \$200. by appropriation from water revenue for the 100 feet of 2-inch pipe and \$7,300. by notes or bonds of the Town, issued in legal form therefor, for the remainder of the pipe not less than 6-inches in diameter, said notes or bonds being payable \$1,000. annually for the first 7 years from date of issue and \$300. for the following year, said notes or bonds to bear interest at such rates as may be fixed by the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Thousand Nine Hundred Eighteen Dollars and Eighty-four Cents (\$7,918.84) for the purpose of resurfacing with road mix the Old State Highway, North Falmouth, for a distance of five thousand two hundred and eighty (5,280) feet, or take any other action on this matter.

On petition of Hollis Jennings and others.

Referred to next Annual Town Meeting.

Article 44. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Thousand Four Hundred Twenty Dollars and Forty-three Hundredths (\$4,420.43) for the purpose of widening, hardening, and straightening Moonakiss Road, Waquoit, for a distance of Two Thousand Six Hundred (2,600) feet, or take any other action on this matter.

On petition of Simeon W. Collins and others.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$4,420.43 in accordance with the article and money to be expended under direction of the Highway Surveyor. Passed by affirmative vote.

Article 45. To see if the Town will vote to name the proposed new high school "Falmouth Memorial High School" and raise and appropriate the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500.) for the purpose of purchasing and placing a bronze plaque enscribed with the names of the World War II dead, said plaque to be placed on a boulder located by or near the flag pole, or take any other action for said purpose.

On petition of the Falmouth Veterans of World War II, Amvets Post No. 70.

Above five articles referred from February 8, 1949 Annual Town Meeting.

Voted, that such part of the article referring to the changing of name as suggested be referred to the next town meeting. 124 voted affirmative, 24 negative. The balance of the article also referred to the next town meeting, affirmative vote.

The following letter was read by Herbert E. Hunziker, Chairman, School Building Needs Committee:—

Woods Hole, Massachusetts
February 6, 1950

Town of Falmouth
Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Mass.

Gentlemen:—

While serving as a representative of the Planning Board on the Building Needs Committee it has occurred to me that the Worthington Lot would be much improved as the building site for the Junior and Senior High School by acquiring the six lots that I own between the School site and Lakeview Avenue.

I therefore would like to deed these lots to the Town providing that the name of Lawrence High School be perpetuated by the transaction.

Yours very truly,

Sidney W. Lawrence

Article 46. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$34,000. for the purpose of the construction of a new fire station in North Falmouth on the property acquired under Article 67 of the last Annual Town Meeting, said money to be raised by tax or notes or bonds of the Town in legal form therefor or take any other action in these matters.

On petition of Roger F. Noyes and others.

Voted, that the Town raise and appropriate the sum of \$30,000. for the purpose of the construction of a new fire station on the property acquired by the Town under Article 67 of the last Annual Town Meeting, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Fire Engineers. Affirmative vote.

Said building to be constructed under the direction of a Building Committee consisting of:-

John H. Howe

Joseph R. Towers, Jr.

Roger F. Noyes, Fire Engineer

John E. Overy

A member of the Finance Committee

A member of the Planning Board

Chief of the Fire Department

Article 47. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the necessary amount of money either by tax levy or by issuing notes or bonds from the Town therefor, the estimate being \$2,800, for the purpose of installing a water main 700 feet in length not less than 6-inches in diameter with hydrant and equipment on Riverside Avenue, sometimes called Shorewood Drive, East Falmouth, said extension to be subject to a 9% guarantee, and to act or do anything else in this matter.

On petition of John R. Augusta and others.

Indefinitely postponed.

Article 48. To see if the Town will vote to extend the water main on Hatchville Road Northeasterly by Clark Street with a water main not less than six inches in diameter to replace the existing two-inch pipe, an estimated distance of 1120 feet, the estimated cost being \$4,500.00 and raise and appropriate the necessary amount of money therefor either by tax levy, water revenue, water surplus or notes or bonds of the Town issued in legal form therefor or take any other action in this matter.

On petition of John Moniz and others.

Indefinitely postponed.

Article 49. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a gift a piece of land from The Moor's Associates, said land being located at The Moors and being described as follows:—

A piece of land 60 feet wide on the Northerly side of Beach Road and extending from the property now or formerly of James Johnstone to the property line now or formerly of George Weld Estate.

On petition of Hollis Lovell and others.

Postponed to next town meeting.

Article 50. To see if the Town will appropriate from Excess and Deficiency Account, water revenue, water surplus, or other available funds, or by notes, or by bonds of the Town issued in legal form therefor, the necessary amount of money, the estimate being \$6,000.00 for the purpose of replacing inadequate water pipes on Fairview Avenue for a distance of 560 feet and on Allen's Avenue for about 600 feet with water mains not less than 6 inches in diameter together with the necessary appurtenances, or take any other action about these matters and for these purposes.

On petition of Nathan Issokson and others.

Voted, that the Town replace the inadequate water pipes on Fairview Avenue for a distance of 560 feet and on Allen Avenue for about 600 feet with water mains not less than 6 inches in diameter, together with the necessary appurtenances and that the sum of \$6,000.00 be raised therefor by issuing notes or bonds of the Town issued in legal form thereof, payable \$500. the first year and \$500. annually for eleven years, beginning one year from their date, said notes or bonds to bear interest at such rate as may be fixed by the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen.

Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 51. To see if the Town will change from a Residential to a Business District, and so record on the Town Zoning Map, that portion of land on the State Highway in Woods Hole, more particularly described as follows:—On the North by Leslie St. and land now or formerly of Edward S. Wilson and Oscar Hilton; On the East by land of Sidney W. Lawrence; On the South by Nobska Road and on the West by the State Highway, or do or act anything else in the matter.

On petition of Samuel T. Cahoon and others.

The planning Board report read at the August 31/49 Special Town Meeting still applies to the present meeting.

Indefinitely postponed.

Article 52. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Account or other available funds, a sum of money to harden Cypress Street from Maravista Avenue to Great Bay Avenue.

On petition of Dr. J. Louise Mason and others.

Above article referred from December 14, 1949 Special Town Meeting.

Voted, that the sum of \$2,017. be added to the Highway Dept. Budget for hardening of Cypress Street from Maravista Ave. to Great Bay Avenue.

Article 53. To see if the Town will vote to construct, equip and furnish a Junior-Senior High School building on land acquired for that purpose off the Southerly side of Lakeview Avenue, Falmouth, and for said purposes raise and appropriate such sum of money as may be necessary therefore, a portion of such amount of money as may be determined by vote or votes under this article to be appropriated from the Post War Rehabilitation Fund, a further portion to be appropriated from available funds in the Treasury and of the balance \$300,000. be raised by notes or bonds of the Town under authority of Chapter 71 of the Acts of 1949 and the remaining balance be raised and appropriated by the issuance of notes or bonds of the Town under authority of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, or pass any other votes with reference to building school needs or raise and appropriate any other sums of money or take any other action necessary or advisable for said purposes.

On petition of School Building Needs Committee.

Voted, that the sum of \$1,500,000. be raised and appropriated for the purpose of constructing and originally equipping and furnishing a Junior-Senior High School building on land acquired for that purpose off the southerly side of Lakeview Avenue, Falmouth, said building to be substantially in accordance with the plans of S. W. Haynes & Associates; and that to meet the said appropriation the sum of \$100,000. be appropriated from the Post-War Rehabilitation Fund, that the sum of \$100,000. be appropriated from available funds in the Treasury, and that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$300,000. under the authority of Chapter 71 of the Acts of 1949, and the sum of \$1,000,000. under authority of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor payable in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, so that the whole loan shall be payable in not more than twenty (20) years from the date of issue of the first bond or note.

The vote was 122 affirmative, 33 negative a quorum being present.

It was further voted that the construction, equipping and furnishing of the Junior-Senior High School building and the work incidental thereto be performed and said funds be expended under the supervision of the Falmouth School Building Needs Committee.

Article 54. To see what action the Town will take relative to the use of the present Lawrence High School building or any other school building owned by the Town in connection with construction of the proposed new Junior-Senior High School building including the raising and

appropriating of such funds as may be necessary for any action taken, or act or do anything else in these matters and for these purposes.

On petition of James P. Warbasse and others.

Voted, that this article be referred to the School Committee for study and a report be made at the next Annual Town Meeting.

By a vote of 90 in favor and 44 against the meeting was adjourned at 11:13 o'clock P.M. until the following evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Henry W. Hall School Auditorium.

THURSDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 16th

At 7:37 o'clock P.M. the meeting was called to order, a count of the Town Meeting showed 127 were present and a quorum declared. The invocation was offered by Rev. Philip A. Ahern, Pastor of First Methodist Church, Falmouth.

Article 55. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purpose of enforcing restrictions on certain bathing beaches as voted by the Town, the sum of \$8,382.00 for the purpose of employing and paying the wages and compensation of police and guards and other assistance and services estimated to be required for such purposes and the sum of \$4,749.00 for the purpose of paying for equipment, supplies, fences and other necessary items, all in accordance with an itemized budget prepared therefor, said funds to be expended under the supervision of the Town of Falmouth Beach Committee, or pass any other votes or take any other action in these matters and for these purposes.

On petition of Town of Falmouth Beach Committee.

Indefinitely postponed. Taken care of under Article 9—Budget.

Article 56. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$3,000.00 for the propagation of shellfish in the Town of Falmouth, or take any other action thereon.

On request of Lewis R. Studley, Shellfish Warden.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$1,000.00 for above purpose, to be expended under supervision of the Shellfish Warden.

Article 57. To see if the Town will vote to approve the sum of 7 cents per mile for the purpose of defraying the expense of the Shellfish Warden, while using his personal car, also install a two-way radio so that the warden may at night and in cases of emergency be able to call for assistance, also one spot light, and raise and appropriate funds therefor, the estimated cost of mileage and equipment being \$1,488.50 or take any action thereon.

On request of Lewis R. Studley, Shellfish Warden.

Indefinitely postponed.

Article 58. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$7,500.00 or other necessary amount for the purpose of constructing a traffic circle at the corner of the Falmouth Heights Road and Main Street including all the necessary work and materials required therefor and the acquiring of a small parcel of additional land, or act or do anything else for these purposes.

On petition of Falmouth Heights Committee.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$5,500.00 for the purpose of constructing a traffic circle at the corner of the Falmouth Heights Road and Main Street including all the necessary work and materials required therefor and the acquiring of the small parcel of additional land; said amount to be expended under the supervision of the Selectmen and the Highway Surveyor. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 59. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the necessary sum of money, the same being estimated at \$3,420.00 for the purpose of hardening and surfacing the roads in and through the Falmouth Housing Authority property on the Easterly side of Gifford Street, Falmouth, or take any other action in this matter, for these purposes.

On petition of Falmouth Housing Authority, John P. Sylvia Jr., Chairman.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$3,420.00 for purpose requested above, to be expended under supervision of the Highway Surveyor.

Article 60. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate by tax levy or otherwise the sum of \$4,500.00 for the purpose of extending water mains not less than 6-inches in diameter into the Town Dump on Gifford Street, or take any other action for this purpose.

On petition of Harold O. Hunt, M.D., Superintendent of Dumps.

Indefinitely postponed.

Article 61. To see if the Town will vote to reimburse Earl G. Boardman for the cost of the water main extensions, hydrants and appliances on certain private ways in that part of North Falmouth called Nye's Neck, said work having been done under the supervision of the Town of Falmouth Water Department, and raise and appropriate therefor, \$8,007.33, said extension being subject to a 9% guaranty no payment to be made until the Town shall have received permanent easements in said private ways for the operation and maintenance of said water main extensions, hydrants and appliances, nor until the same shall have been transferred to the Town of Falmouth by proper instruments therefor, or take any other action in this matter (said sum of \$8,007.33 being in lieu of the note or bond issue of \$11,000.00 authorized under Article 70 of the 1949 Annual Town Meeting).

On petition of C. E. Kraehn and others.

Voted, that the Town reimburse Earl G. Boardman for the cost of the water main extensions, hydrants and appliances on certain ways in that part of North Falmouth called Nye's Neck and raise and appropri-

ate \$8,007.33 therefor, said reimbursement being subject to receipt by the Town of Falmouth of the proper instruments, transferring said water main extensions, hydrants and appliances, the necessary easements and a 9% guarantee.

Said sum to be expended under the supervision of the Water Commissioners. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 62. To see if the Town will vote to reimburse Joseph B. Brown for water main extension already installed by him, 6-inches in diameter in Allen Avenue for a distance of 222 feet said extension to be subject to 9% guaranty and raise and appropriate the sum of \$445.42 therefor or take any other action in this matter.

On petition of Joseph Brown and others.

Voted, that the Town reimburse Joseph B. Brown, for water main extension already installed by him, 6-inches in diameter in Allen Avenue for a distance of 222 feet, and appropriate from water revenue the sum of \$445.42 therefor, said extension to be subject to a 9% guarantee. Said sum to be expended under the supervision of the Water Commissioners. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 63. To see if the Town will vote to extend the water mains by laying pipes not less than 6-inches in diameter in and through certain private ways on property owned by Earl G. Boardman, located in that part of Falmouth known as Nye's Neck, a total distance of 3000 feet at an estimated cost of \$9,500.00 and for said purpose, raise and appropriate the necessary amount of money therefor either from the 1950 tax levy or by issuance of notes or bonds of the Town in legal form therefor, said extension to be subject to a 9% guaranty and provided also that the owner shall grant permanent easements in said private ways to the Town, or take any other action or pass any other votes for said purposes.

On petition of C. E. Kraehn and others.

Voted, that the Town extend the water mains by laying pipes not less than 6-inches in diameter in and through private ways on property owned by Earl G. Boardman, located in that part of Falmouth known as Nye's Neck, a total distance of 3000 feet and raise and appropriate the sum of \$9,500.00 said sum to be raised by issuing notes or bonds of the Town, issued in legal form therefor, payable \$1,000. annually for four years and \$500. annually for eleven years thereafter, beginning one year from date of issue, said notes or bonds to bear interest at such rate as may be fixed by the Town Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, said extension being subject to the necessary easements and a 9% guarantee. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 64. To see if the Town will vote to extend the water mains from the present extension in Allen Avenue with a 6-inch pipe through the remainder of Allen Avenue to Clinton Avenue an estimated distance of 903 feet, the sum being estimated at \$3,015.00 and to be subject to a 9% guaranty, said money to be raised from tax levy or by notes or bonds of the Town issued in legal form therefor, or take any other action in this matter and for these purposes.

On petition of Joseph Brown and others.

Voted, that the Town extend the water main from the present extension in Allen Avenue with a 6-inch pipe through the remainder of Allen Avenue to Clinton Avenue, an estimated distance of 903 feet, and that the sum of \$3,000.00 be raised by issuing notes or bonds of the Town, issued in legal form therefor, payable \$500.00 the first year and \$500.00 annually thereafter for five years, beginning one year from their date, together with \$15.00 from water revenue, said notes or bonds to bear interest at such rate as may be fixed by the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, said extension to be subject to a 9% guarantee. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 65. To see if the Town will vote to replace an existing 2-inch water main in Acapesket Road extending from Route No. 28 Southerly a distance of 875 feet with a water main 6-inches in diameter at an estimated cost of \$3,000.00, said money to be raised and appropriated from the tax levy of the current year or by bonds or notes of the Town issued in legal form therefor provided a 9% guaranty is obtained, and pass any other votes or take any other action for these purposes.

On petition of Edward C. Picanso and others.

Indefinitely postponed.

Article 66. To see if the Town will vote to extend the water mains by laying pipes from Surf Drive along the Westerly access road through Bywater Court, a distance of approximately 500 feet with pipe not less than 6-inches in diameter, and a distance of approximately 370 feet with pipe not less than 2-inches in diameter, the total estimated cost being \$2,400.00, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose by tax levy, water revenue, water surplus, or by notes or bonds of the Town, issued in legal form therefor, said extension being subject to a 9% guaranty.

On petition of Noah M. Gediman and others.

Voted, to extend the water mains by laying pipes from Surf Drive, along the westerly access road a town way, through By-Water Court, a distance of approximately 500 feet, with pipe not less than 6 inches in diameter, at an estimated cost of \$1,800.00, and a distance of approximately 370 feet with pipe not less than 2 inches in diameter, at an estimated cost of \$600.00, the total estimated cost being \$2,400.00; and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purpose as follows: \$600.00 by appropriation from water revenue for the 370 feet of 2 inch pipe and \$1,800.00 by issuing notes or bonds of the Town in legal form therefor, payable \$500.00 annually for 3 years, and \$300.00 for the 4th year from date of issuance for the remainder of the pipe not less than 6 inches diameter, said notes or bonds to bear interest at such rate as may be fixed by the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, said extension being subject to a 9% guarantee. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 67. To see if the Town will vote to reimburse Ralph M. Johnson Jr., for the cost of installing a 6-inch water main in accordance with the supervision of the Board of Water Commissioners in Johnson Road in the section known as Jericho, a distance of 706½ feet at a cost of

\$2,205.82, the same to be subject to a 9% guaranty provided proper easements are given to the Town and a proper transfer made to the Town of said main, equipment and hydrants, or take any other action or act anything else in these matters.

On petition of William W. Peters and others.

Voted, that the Town reimburse Ralph M. Johnson, Jr. for the cost of installing a 6—inch main, a distance of 706½ feet in Johnson Road and raise and appropriate \$2,205.82, said reimbursement being subject to receipt by the Town of Falmouth of the proper instruments transferring said water main, equipment and hydrants, the necessary easements and a 9% guarantee, said sum to be expended under the supervision of the Water Commissioners. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 68. To see if the Town will vote to reimburse Ralph M. Johnson Jr., for the cost of installing a 6-inch water main in accordance with the supervision of the Board of Water Commissioners in Holland Street in the section known as Jericho, an estimated distance of 625 feet at an estimated cost of \$2,050.62, the same to be subject to a 9% guaranty provided proper easements are given to the Town and a proper transfer made to the Town of said main, equipment and hydrants, or take any other action or act anything else in these matters.

On petition of William W. Peters and others.

Voted, that the Town reimburse Ralph M. Johnson, Jr. for the cost of installing a 6—inch water main in Holland Street, an estimated distance of 625 feet and raise and appropriate \$2,050.62, said reimbursement being subject to receipt by the Town of Falmouth of the proper instruments transferring said water main, equipment and hydrants, the necessary easements and a 9% guarantee, said sum to be expended under the supervision of the Water Commissioners. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 69. To see if the Town, in addition to continuing the present use of the Teaticket Airport, will vote to authorize and direct the Town Aviation Committee, in order to provide adequate landing facilities for air transport services as well as facilities for large private planes, to contract for and on behalf of the Town with the Coonamessett Ranch Co. to make available in whole or in part the Coonamessett Airport for such improved and extended air service, for a period of five to ten years, in consideration of the agreement of said Coonamessett Ranch Co. to complete construction of the present Northeast-Southwest runway to a minimum length of thirty-five hundred (3500) feet as required for approval by the Civil Aeronautics Administration, with possible extension thereof to forty-two hundred (4200) feet; thus providing for the Town of Falmouth landing facilities for Northeast Airlines or other qualified air carriers; or to make any other suitable and proper contracts or agreements to this end; or to pass such other votes as may be needed for these general purposes; or to take any other action in the matter, and to raise and ap-

propriate therefor a sum not to exceed Five Thousand (\$5,000.) Dollars for the current year.

On petition of Frances A. Crane and others.

Voted, that this matter be referred to a committee consisting of:—
 Chairman of Finance Committee Chairman Planning Board
 Chairman of Board of Selectmen Chairman Aviation Committee

Three (3) Representatives Falmouth Board of Trade

Said Committee being requested to confer with representatives of the Civil Aeronautics Administration and the Mass. Aviation Commission to study the possibilities of securing air transport services and adequate airport facilities for accommodating such services in the Town of Falmouth and to bring in a report and recommendations to the next town meeting. Affirmative vote, a quorum being present.

Article 70. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,300. for the purpose of constructing a stone jetty to connect with the present Megansett Breakwater to the jetty on the Westerly side of the Town Landing and to remove the sand blocking the channel to the Town Dock, foot of County Street, Megansett, North Falmouth, Massachusetts, or take any other action in this matter.

On petition of Charles A. White and others.

Indefinitely postponed.

Article 71. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Thousand Two Hundred Fifty-two Dollars and Sixty-eight hundredths (\$4,252.68) for the purpose of hardening Teaticket Path for a distance of three thousand one hundred and sixty-eight (3168) feet, or take any other action on this matter.

On petition of Harry C. Higgins and others.

Voted, to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,252.68 for the purpose of hardening Teaticket Path for a distance of 3,168 feet. Said amount to be expended under the supervision of the Highway Surveyor.

Article 72. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Five Hundred and Forty-four (\$3,544.) Dollars for the purpose of re-surfacing Nobska Road, Woods Hole, for a distance of one thousand four hundred (1,400) feet, running East from Route 28, Woods Hole, to the intersection of Oyster Pond Road, or take any other action on this matter.

On petition of Sidney W. Lawrence and others.

Referred to next Annual Town Meeting.

Article 73. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety-seven (\$6,997.) Dollars for the purpose of widening, hardening, and straightening Jericho Path for a distance of Three thousand seven hundred (3,700) feet, or take any other action on this matter.

On petition of Lloyd T. Nightingale and others.

Referred to next Annual Town Meeting.

Article 74. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Two Hundred Thirty-two (\$3,232.) Dollars for the purpose of widening, hardening and straightening Hillside Avenue for a distance of One Thousand Thirty-four (1034) feet.

On petition of Edna E. Donnelly and others.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$3,232. for above purpose, to be expended under direction of the Highway Surveyor.

Article 75. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Thousand Eight Hundred (\$4,800.) Dollars for the purpose of widening, hardening and straightening Standish Avenue for a distance of One Thousand Six Hundred (1,600) feet, or take any other action on this matter.

On petition of John Grant and others.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$4,800. for above purpose, to be expended under direction of the Highway Surveyor. 81 voted affirmative, 18 against, a quorum being present.

Article 76. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Six Hundred (\$1,600.) Dollars for the purpose of widening, hardening, and straightening Sumner Street for a distance of Eight Hundred (800) feet or take any other action on this matter.

On petition of Sumner Hilton and others.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$1,250. for widening, hardening and straightening Sumner Street for a distance of 615 feet, to be expended under direction of the Highway Surveyor.

Article 77. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Four Hundred Thirty (\$1,430.) Dollars for the purpose of widening, hardening, and straightening Ardmore Street, Maravista, for a distance of Seven hundred (700) feet, or take any other action on this matter.

On petition of Barbara Wells and others.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$1,430. for above purpose, to be expended under direction of the Highway Surveyor.

Article 78. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Thousand Two Hundred Ninety-three (\$3,293.) Dollars for the purpose of widening, hardening, and straightening Bywater Court Roads for a distance of One thousand five hundred (1,500) feet, or take any other action on this matter.

On petition of E. Gunnar Peterson and others.

Indefinitely postponed.

Article 79. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Thousand Six Hundred (\$2,600.) Dollars for the purpose of widening, hardening, and straightening Allan Avenue for a distance of One thousand three hundred (1,300) feet, or take any other action on this matter.

On petition of Joseph Brown and others.

Indefinitely postponed.

Article 80. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the following amounts of money for the installation of street lights on the locations specified or do or act anything else in said matters, viz:—

- A. The amount required for 2 year-round street lights on Central Park Court, Falmouth Heights, one to be located at or near the corner of Harbor Avenue.

On petition of Max Cohen and others.

Referred from the August 31, 1949 Special Town Meeting.

- B. \$50.40 for 3 street lights on Ocean View Avenue, New Silver Beach, at Poles No. 2/65 and No. 17/1, Ocean View Avenue.

On petition of Donald E. Cunningham and others.

- C. The amount required for 2 street lights on Cross Street, Waquoit.

On petition of Harold O. Hayward and others.

Above two articles referred from December 14, 1949 Special Town Meeting.

- D. \$33.60 for 2 street lights on Old Shore Road, North Falmouth Community property.

On petition of Bernard O'Connor and others.

- E. \$50.40 for 3 street lights on the road extending from Falmouth Police Station to Village School.

On petition of Gladys E. Robbins and others.

- F. \$33.60 for 2 street lights on Poles No. 264 and No. 268, Main Street, Waquoit.

On petition of Mrs. Manuel Rose and others.

- G. \$16.80 for 1 street light on Pole 187/24, Jericho Path at the curve before reaching Little Pond.

On petition of Cora R. Carter and others.

- H. \$33.60 for 2 street lights on Worcester Park Court (East) extending from the existing lights on Jericho Path.

On petition of Mabel J. Fox and others.

- I. \$16.80 for 1 street light on Pole 67/3 on Elysian Avenue.

On petition of Carrie E. Reed and others.

J. \$33.60 for 2 year-round street lights on Pequosett Avenue near Holmes Street, Megansett.

On petition of Albert E. Landers and others.

K. The amount required to change two street lights on the South end of Elm Road from summer to year-around lights.

On petition of Ermine W. Lovell and others.

L. \$36.00 for two year-around street lights on Beebe Acres Road.

On petition of Albert E. Foster and others.

M. \$16.80 for 1 street light on Pole 235/69 on Acapesket Road.

On petition of Charles DeMello and others.

Voted, to raise and appropriate the following sums of money for the installation and maintaining of street lights:

A. \$33.60 for two year-round street lights on Central Park Court, Falmouth Heights; one of said lights to be placed on pole 245/3 and the other pole 245/1.

B. \$33.60 for two year-round street lights on Ocean View Avenue, New Silver Beach, North Falmouth; one to be installed on pole 2/65 and one on pole 17/3.

C. \$33.60 for two year-round street lights on Cross Street, Waquoit; one to be installed on pole 285/3 and one on pole 285/7.

D. Referred to next town meeting.

E. \$50.40 for three street lights on the road leading from the police Station to the rear of the Village School.

F. \$33.60 for two street lights on Main Street, Waquoit, one to be installed on pole 9/253 and one on 9/258.

G. \$16.80 for one street light on Jericho Path to be installed on pole 187/24.

H. \$33.60 for two street lights on Worcester Park Court (East) Falmouth Heights, one on pole 65/9 and the other on pole 65/11.

I. \$16.80 for one street light on Elysian Ave. on pole 67/3.

J. \$33.60 for two street lights on Pequosett Avenue, near Holmes Street, Megansett.

K. \$16.40 to change the last two street lights on the South end of Elm Road from summer to year-around lights.

L. \$36.00 for two year round street lights; one on Walker Street on pole 72/24 and one on Beebe Acres Road on pole 281/1½.

M. \$16.80 for one street light on Acapesket Road to be installed on pole 235/68.

Article 81. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Committee which was appointed under Article 102 of the Town Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting of 1949, to use the funds appropriated under said Article, namely the sum of \$465.00, to reimburse the Cape Cod Chamber of Commerce for the Town's proportionate share of expenses occurred in efforts to effect the continuance of railroad transportation; or act or do anything else in the matter.

On petition of Noah M. Gediman and others.

Voted, to authorize the Committee which was appointed Under Article 102 of the Town Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting of 1949, to use the funds appropriated under said Article, namely the sum of \$465.00, to reimburse the Cape Cod Chamber of Commerce for the Town's proportionate share of expenses occurred in efforts to effect the continuance of railroad transportation. Passed by the affirmative vote.

Article 82. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not exceeding \$500.00 for the propagation and rearing of game and fish in the Town of Falmouth or act anything else for said purposes.

On petition of Harold A. Davis and others.

Voted, to raise and appropriate \$500.00 for above purpose, to be expended under direction of the Selectmen.

Article 83. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 111A of General Laws, Chapter 41 as inserted by Chapter 172 of the Acts of 1949.

On petition of Falmouth Firemen's Ass'n. Inc., Robert W. Donnelly and others.

Indefinitely postponed.

Article 84. To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 111D of General Laws, Chapter 41 as inserted by Chapter 384 of the Acts of 1949.

On petition of Falmouth Firemen's Ass'n. Inc., Robert W. Donnelly and others.

Indefinitely postponed.

Article 85. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law as follows:—

A. To add to Section 4, Single Residence Districts the following additional permitted use, viz:—

11. Television Towers with antenna provided they do not exceed fifty feet (50) in height above the ground level and provided that they have first been approved as to public safety by the proper authorities.

B. To add to Section 13, Side Yards the following:—

Garages and accessory buildings shall at all times have a clear side yard not less than five (5) feet in width from the side lines of the lot.

On petition of the Planning Board, Lloyd T. Nightingale and Robert W. Griffin.

The Planning Board submitted an official report of its recommendation to the meeting and said report was read to those assembled. Its recommendation was that the Zoning change be made as requested in this article.

Voted, that the Town does amend the Zoning By-Law as follows:—

A. To add to section 4, Single Residence Districts the following additional permitted use, viz:—

11. Television Towers with antenna provided they do not exceed fifty feet (50) in height above the ground level and provided that they have first been approved as to public safety by the proper authorities.

B. To add to Section 13, Side Yards the following:—

Garages and accessory buildings shall at all times have a clear side yard not less than five (5) feet in width from the side lines of the lot. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 86. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning By-Law Map as follows:—

That the Business Districts, be increased on both sides of Main Street Eastward of King and Gifford Streets, Falmouth, from their present depths of two hundred (200) feet on both the Northerly and Southerly sides of Main Street an additional depth of fifty (50) feet so that the depths of the Business Districts on each side of Main Street from the street lines shall be two hundred and fifty (250) feet and that the Business Districts at said locations of said Zoning By-Law Map be so changed.

On petition of the Planning Board, Lloyd T. Nightingale—Robert W. Griffin.

Voted, that the Town does amend the Zoning By-Law and Zoning By-Law Map as follows:—

That the Business Districts be increased on both sides of Main Street Eastward of King and Gifford Streets, Falmouth, from their present depths of two hundred (200) feet on both the Northerly and Southerly sides of Main Street an additional depth of fifty (50) feet so that the depths of the Business Districts on each side of Main Street from the street lines shall be two hundred and fifty (250) feet and that the Business Districts at said locations of said Zoning By-Law Map be so changed. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

The Planning Board submitted an official report of its recommendation to the meeting and said report was read to those assembled. Its recommendation was that the Zoning change be made as requested in this article.

Article 87. To see if the Town will vote to add to the Zoning By-Law the following:—

Board of Appeals

There shall be a Board of Appeals of three members and two associate members appointed by the Selectmen as provided in Section 30 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended, which Board of Appeals shall have the powers and duties prescribed in said section.

On petition of the Planning Board, Lloyd T. Nightingale—Robert W. Griffin.

The Planning Board submitted an official report of its recommendation to the meeting and said report was read to those assembled. Its recommendation was that the Zoning change be made as requested in this article.

Voted, that the Town does add to the Zoning By-Law the following:—

BOARD OF APPEALS

There shall be a Board of Appeals of three members and two associate members appointed by the Selectmen as provided in Section 30 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as amended, which Board of Appeals shall have the powers and duties prescribed in said section. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 88. To see if the Town will vote to change from a Residential District to a Light Industrial District and so record on the Town Zoning Map, that parcel of land located in that part of Falmouth known as Teaticket off the Easterly side of Route 28 and bounded and described as follows:—

Northerly by land now or formerly of Cornelius P. Van Tol;

Easterly by land said to be owned now or formerly by Henry Lefevre, Trustee;

Southeasterly by land now or formerly of Bowman, known as Concrete Products Co.;

Westerly by a cranberry bog and land now or formerly of Peter J. Beaton et al;

Containing an area of 3.5 acres of upland and .7 acres of marsh.

On petition of Albert L. Bowman and others.

The Planning Board submitted an official report of its recommendation to the meeting and said report was read to those assembled. Its recommendation was that this article be postponed to the next town meeting.

*Voted, that this article be postponed to the next town meeting.

Article 89. To see if the Town will vote to change from a Residential District to a Light Industrial District and so record on the Town Zoning Map, that parcel of land located in that part of Falmouth known as Teaticket, bounded and described as follows:

Southerly by land of Louise B. Lawrence (right of way), 428.25 feet;

Westerly by land now or formerly of said Louise B. Lawrence, 597.22 feet; and

Westerly again by land now or formerly of Andrew W. Davis, land now or formerly of Walter N. Baker, and land now or formerly of Lewis B. Stevens and land now or formerly of Lillian K. Hazelton. A total distance of 448.12 feet;

Northwesterly by land of Bertha L. Bunting, land of Edward De-Mello and land of Joe Viera, a total distance of 196.35 feet;

Northeasterly by land of Edward E. Geggatt, 105.68 feet;

Easterly by "Cranberry Bog" now or formerly of John C. Beaton, 452.71 feet;

Northeasterly and Northerly by said cranberry bog now or formerly of said Beaton, 179.07 feet;

Northeasterly by other land now or formerly of said John C. Beaton, 404.20 feet; and

Easterly by land now or formerly of said John C. Beaton, 328.84 feet; or however else the said parcel may be bounded, measured and described; being a parcel of land containing 7.8 acres of land more or less; all as shown on plan entitled "Plan of land of Concrete Products Co. showing proposed zoning change from one-family district to Light Industrial, Teaticket, Mass., Dec. 1949—scale 1"=50' Elmer W. Gifford, C.E., Falmouth, Mass."

On petition of Arnold H. Burrough and others.

The Planning Board submitted an official report of its recommendation to the meeting and said report was read to those assembled. Its recommendation was that the Zoning change be made as requested in this article.

Voted, that the Town does change from a Residential District to a Light Industrial District and so record on the Town Zoning Map, that parcel of land located in that part of Falmouth known as Teaticket, bounded and described as follows:

Southerly by land of Louise B. Lawrence (right of way), 428.25 feet;

Westerly by land now or formerly of said Louise B. Lawrence, 597.22 feet; and

Westerly again by land now or formerly of Andrew W. Davis, land now or formerly of Walter N. Baker, and land now or formerly of Lewis B. Stevens and land now or formerly of Lillian K. Hazelton. A total distance of 448.12 feet;

Northwesterly by land of Bertha L. Bunting, land of Edward De-Mello and land of Joe Viera, a total distance of 196.35 feet;

Northeasterly by land of Edward E. Geggatt, 105.68 feet;

Easterly by "Cranberry Bog" now or formerly of John C. Beaton, 452.71 feet;

Northeasterly and Northerly by said cranberry bog now or formerly of said Beaton, 179.07 feet;

Northeasterly by other land now or formerly of said John C. Beaton, 404.20 feet; and

Easterly by land now or formerly of said John C. Beaton, 328.84 feet; or however else the said parcel may be bounded, measured and described; being a parcel of land containing 7.8 acres of land more or less; all as shown on plan entitled "Plan of land of Concrete Products Co. showing proposed zoning change from one-family district to Light Industrial, Teaticket, Mass., Dec. 1949—scale 1"=50' Elmer W. Gifford, C.E., Falmouth, Mass." Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 90. To see if the Town will vote to extend the Business District and so record on the Town Zoning Map, a certain parcel of land located on the State Highway in North Falmouth and more particularly described as follows:—on the North by land of H. P. Hood Sons Co., about 250 feet, more or less; on the East by the State Highway about 300 feet, more or less; on the South by land now or formerly of Edwin Brown, 180 feet, more or less; and on the West by the Old Colony Railroad location, 524 feet more or less, or do or act anything else in the matter.

On petition of Joseph Towers Jr., and others.

The Planning Board submitted an official report of its recommendation to the meeting. Its recommendation was that this article be indefinitely postponed.

Voted, that the Town does extend the Business District and so record on the Town Zoning Map, a certain parcel of land located on the State Highway in North Falmouth and more particularly described as follows:—on the North by land of H. P. Hood Sons Co., about 250 feet, more or less; on the East by the State Highway about 300 feet, more or less; on the South by land now or formerly of Edwin Brown, 180 feet, more or less; and on the West by the Old Colony Railroad location, 524 feet more or less. 91 voted affirmative and 26 negative a quorum being present, passed by necessary two-thirds vote.

Article 91. To see if the Town will vote to extend the present Business District on the Westerly side of Shore Road at Old Silver Beach, by changing from a Single Residence District to a Business District, and so recording on the Town Zoning Map, the following described parcel of land:

Beginning at a point in the Northeasterly line of the present Business District at a point 200 feet Westerly of the Shore Road; thence Northwesterly by the present Business District, 480 feet more or less to Buzzards Bay; thence Northerly by Buzzards Bay, 245 feet more or less; thence Southeasterly 635 feet more or less to a corner; thence Southwesterly 190 feet more or less to the Northeasterly line of the present Business District and point and place of beginning.

On petition of Joseph R. Towers Jr., and others.

The Planning Board submitted an official report of its recommendation to the meeting. Its recommendation was that this article be indefinitely postponed.

Voted, that this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 92. To see if the Town will vote to change from a Residential District to a Business District and so record on the Town Zoning Map; that parcel of land located on the Southwesterly side of Palmer Avenue and on the Southeasterly and Easterly side of North Main Street in Falmouth Village and more particularly bounded and described as follows:—

Northeasterly by Palmer Avenue, 175 feet more or less;

Northwesterly and Westerly by North Main Street, distances of 325 feet more or less and 50 feet more or less respectively;

Southerly and Easterly by land of Maurice F. Watson, distances of 40 feet more or less and 45 feet more or less respectively;

Southwesterly by said land of Maurice F. Watson, 95 feet more or less, and

Southeasterly by land of Ellen H. Jones, 243.8 feet.

On petition of Arnold W. Dyer and others.

The Planning Board submitted an official report of its recommendation to the meeting. Its recommendation was that the zoning change be made as requested in this article.

Voted, by vote of 7 affirmative and 123 negative a quorum being present the motion did not prevail and the article was indefinitely postponed.

Article 93. To see if the Town will vote to change from a Single Residence District to a Business District, and so record on the Town Zoning Map, the following described parcel of land:

A certain parcel of land located in the village of Woods Hole, owned by New Bedford, Woods Hole, Martha's Vineyard and Nantucket Steamship Authority, more particularly bounded and described as follows:—

Beginning at the Easterly part of said premises at an iron pipe driven in the ground, which pipe is located at an angle in a Hollow Tile Stucco wall; thence running in a Westerly direction in a straight line by land now or formerly of John Oliver Crane et al Three Hundred Twenty-seven and 81/100 (327.81) feet to an iron pipe driven in the ground near Woods Hole Great Harbor; thence continuing in the same direction to the waters of Woods Hole Great Harbor as far as said owners' property extends; thence turning and running Northerly thirty-five (35) feet, Easterly fifty-three (53) feet, Northerly forty-one (41) feet, all more or less to land formerly of the Old Colony Railroad Company; thence turning and running in an Easterly direction two hundred eleven (211) feet more or less by land formerly of said Old Colony Railroad Co. to a point by a brick column in the remains of the Hollow Tile Stucco wall; thence turning and running Southeasterly by said land formerly of said Old Colony Railroad Co. following said wall one hundred three (103) feet more or less to the first mentioned pipe and the point of beginning.

On petition of Noah M. Gediman and others.

The Planning Board submitted an official report of its recommendation to the meeting and said report was read to those assembled. Its recommendation was that the Zoning change be made as requested in this article.

Voted, that the Town does change from a Single Residence District to a Business District, and so record on the Town Zoning Map, the following described parcel of land:

A certain parcel of land located in the village of Woods Hole, owned by New Bedford, Woods Hole, Martha's Vineyard and Nantucket Steamship Authority, more particularly bounded and described as follows:—

Beginning at the Easterly part of said premise at an iron pipe driven in the ground, which pipe is located at an angle in a Hollow Tile Stucco

wall; thence running in a westerly direction in a straight line by land now or formerly of John Oliver Crane et al Three Hundred Twenty-seven and 81/100 (327.81) feet to an iron pipe driven in the ground near Woods Hole Great Harbor; thence continuing in the same direction to the waters of Woods Hole Great Harbor as far as said owners' property extends; thence turning and running Northerly thirty-five (35) feet, Easterly fifty-three (53) feet, Northerly forty-one (41) feet, all more or less to land formerly of the Old Colony Railroad Company; thence turning and running in an Easterly direction two hundred eleven (211) feet more or less by land formerly of said Old Colony Railroad Co. to a point by a brick column in the remains of the Hollow Tile Stucco wall; thence turning and running Southeastely by said land formerly of said Old Colony Railroad Co. following said wall one hundred three (103) feet more or less to the first mentioned pipe and the point of beginning. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 94. To see if the Town will vote to restrict the use of the bathing beach along the park property of the Town East of the McCann property at Falmouth Heights to inhabitants of Falmouth, their guests and seasonal residents and adopt by-laws or regulations relative to the use of such bathing beach or take any other action in this matter and for said purposes.

On petition of Allan C. Williams and others.

Voted, that the Town restrict the use of the bathing beach along the park property of the Town East of the McCann property at Falmouth Heights to inhabitants of Falmouth, their guests and seasonal residents, said beach to be under the jurisdiction of the Beach Committee. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 95. To see if the Town will vote to restrict the use of such bathing beach as is owned by the Town of Falmouth extending along the water front from the Terrace Gables Hotel property to the beach opposite the Tower Hotel at Falmouth Heights to inhabitants of Falmouth, their guests and seasonal residents and adopt by-laws or regulations relative to the use of such bathing beach or take any other action in this matter and for said purposes.

On petition of Allan C. Williams and others

Voted, that the Town restrict the use of such bathing beach as is owned by the Town of Falmouth, extending along the water front from the Terrace Gables property to the beach opposite the Tower Hotel at Falmouth Heights to inhabitants of Falmouth, their guests and seasonal residents, said beach to be under the jurisdiction of the Beach Committee. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 96. To see if the Town will vote to exchange an equal portion of Goodwill Park land next to the Industrial District of Frederick V. Lawrence, Inc. for that portion of land of Sidney W. Lawrence bordering on Long Pond, said land to be zoned Light Industrial or take any other action in this matter.

On petition of Sidney W. Lawrence and others.

Voted, that any action be referred to the next town meeting, and that a committee consisting of the Park Board, the Planning Board and the Finance Committee consider this problem and bring in recommendations and possibly hold hearings for discussions on this article. Affirmative vote, a quorum being present.

At 11:06 o'clock P.M. all business of the meeting having been completed and a vote of thanks extended to all the Committees who acted so faithfully and well during the year, it was voted that the meeting be dissolved.

EUNICE M. LAWRENCE,
Town Clerk of Falmouth.

Town Budget for 1950

Moderator		\$125.00
Finance Committee		1,000.00
Selectmen's Department:		
Salaries	\$4,640.00	
All others	2,720.00	
		<hr/> 7,360.00
Accountant's Department:		
Salaries	5,310.00	
All others	640.00	
		<hr/> 5,950.00
Treasurer's Department:		
Salaries	4,496.00	
All others	1,048.10	
		<hr/> 5,544.10
Collector's Department:		
Salaries	4,918.00	
All others	1,496.75	
		<hr/> 6,414.75
Assessors' Department:		
Salaries	8,550.00	
All others	1,796.50	
		<hr/> 10,346.50
Certifying Notes		100.00
Law Department		3,000.00
Town Clerk's Department:		
Salaries	1,940.00	
All others	1,298.00	
		<hr/> 3,238.00
Elections and Registrations:		
Salaries	3,665.83	
All others	1,484.50	
		<hr/> 5,150.33
Planning Board		1,000.00
Town Survey and Assessors' Maps		4,500.00
Town Hall and Officers:		
Salaries	2,140.00	
All others	1,725.00	
		<hr/> 3,865.00
Police Department:		
Salaries	49,404.36	
New Cars	1,500.00	
Auto Expense	2,056.32	
All others	2,907.20	
		<hr/> 55,867.88

Traffic Lights		225.00
Fire Department:		
Salaries and Wages	68,674.20	
Hose	2,000.00	
All others	14,603.19	
		85,277.39
Ambulance Committee;		
Salaries	5,587.00	
All others	1,669.09	
		7,256.09
Uncollected Physician's Fees		50.00
Building Commissioner's Dept:		
Salaries	2,978.04	
All others	700.00	
		3,678.04
Wire Inspector's Department		1,262.83
Sealer's Department:		
Salaries	1,239.91	
All others	207.50	
		1,447.41
Moth Department:		
Salaries	1,750.00	
All others	3,260.00	
		5,010.00
Tree Warden's Department:		
Salaries	1,625.00	
All others	1,500.00	
		3,125.00
(Motion made under Tree Warden's Dept. :—		
THAT IT BE THE POLICY of the Town of Fal-		
mouth whenever and where ever it becomes neces-		
sary for good cause to remove any tree or trees		
from within the limits of any of the Public High-		
ways of the Town that new trees be planted to take		
their place in suitable nearby locations so that the		
Town's Highways may be perpetually lined and		
shaded by appropriate trees.)		
Forest Warden's Department:		
Salaries	1,897.46	
New Hose	700.00	
All others	2,275.00	
		4,872.46
Dog Officer		1,917.50
Shell Fish Warden		2,406.22
Health Department:		
Salaries	4,531.60	
All others	8,031.43	
		12,563.03
Clinics and Nurses		2,500.00
Plumbing Inspector's Department:		
Salaries	1,831.92	
All others	90.00	
		1,921.92

Collection of Garbage and Refuse		21,580.00
Public Dumps:		
Salaries	2,500.00	
All others	1,280.00	
		3,780.00
Herring Rivers		900.00
Highway Department:		
Salaries	47,610.72	
Surveyor's Car	1,700.00	
Rail and Bridge Repairs	6,000.00	
Snow and Ice Removal	10,000.00	
Cypress St. from Maravista Ave. to Great Bay	2,017.00	
All others	23,923.00	
		91,250.72
Street Lighting		13,599.92
Harbor Master's Department:		
Salaries	966.75	
All others	1,330.00	
		2,296.75
Public Welfare Department		60,000.00
Infirmary:		
Salaries	1,657.56	
All others	5,842.44	
		7,500.00
Aid to Dependent Children		40,000.00
Old Age Assistance		63,000.00
Veterans' Benefits:		
Salaries	1,720.00	
All others	8,300.00	
		10,020.00
School Department Salaries, Plus income from Smythe Hughes and Lawrence High Funds)		266,040.58
School Department, Other Expense:		
Fuel, light and power	16,000.00	
New power mower	750.00	
All others	67,627.15	
		84,377.15
Falmouth Public Library:		7,210.82
(Plus \$1,044.52 Dog Fund)		
North Falmouth Library		385.00
West Falmouth Library		385.00
Woods Hole Library		385.00
Park Department:		
Salaries and Wages	7,105.00	
All others	2,323.00	
		9,428.00
Beach Commission:		
Salaries	7,052.00	
All Others	2,055.00	
		9,107.00
Town Forest		2,700.00

Maintenance Comfort Station and
Community Center;

Salaries	3,640.00	
All others	1,360.00	
		<hr/> 5,000.00

Recreation Committee:

Salaries	8,528.62	
Refinishing of floor	480.00	
All others	3,407.15	
		<hr/> 12,415.77

Legion Building Repairs	100.00
Veterans' Building Repairs	100.00
Memorial Day Celebration	600.00
Public Amusements	2,000.00
Soldiers' Memorial Care	60.00
Compensation Insurance	3,800.00
Fire Insurance	6,000.00
Town Reports and Delivery	2,900.00
Police Annuity	1,000.00
Policemen's Pension	3,884.48
Firemen's Pension	6,423.85
Contributory Retirement Funds	4,736.00
Cemetery General Care	150.00
Cemetery Perpetual Care	1,033.70
Old Town Cemetery Care	3,000.00
North Falmouth Ancient Graves	100.00
Veterans' Graves	55.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	1,000.00
Interest on General Loans	4,280.00
Maturing General Debt	11,500.00
Reserve Fund	15,000.00

GENERAL TOTAL

\$1,026,059.19

Water Department Maintenance; Amount to be
taken from Water Revenue:—

Salaries and Wages	\$49,724.96	
All others	45,025.00	
		<hr/> 94,749.96

Interest on Water Loans	1,674.00
Maturing Water Debt	9,800.00
Portions of New Water Extensions, Art. 42, 62, 64, 66.	1,260.42

TOTAL—GENERAL AND WATER DEPARTMENTS

\$1,133,543.57

Appropriations Made at the Annual Town Meeting – 1950

(Amounts raised in addition to the Budget)

Settling Claims and Suits	\$500.00
Unpaid bills, received too late for payment from 1949 appropriations	1,408.84
Cape Cod Hospital, Free Bed	500.00
Road layouts, made by Selectmen	960.00
Bounties—destruction of woodchucks	100.00
Bounties—destruction of foxes	100.00
Investigation and study of Sewerage on Main Street, Falmouth	300.00
New Pick-up Service Truck, Fire department	1,500.00
Care and Management of that portion of Good Will Park now under jurisdiction of Board of Park Commissioners	1,000.00
Town's share, cost of Chap. 90 Highway Construction	7,500.00
Purchase of crawler-type tractor with dozer shovel attachment and blade, Highway department	9,500.00
Sidewalk Construction;—Minot Street, Robinson Road and Oyster Pond Road	2,625.00
Town's share, cost of Chap. 90 Highway Maintenance	1,000.00
Shore erosion protection	1,000.00
Trimming dead wood from Elm trees	2,000.00
Spraying Elm trees with D D T	2,500.00
Dredging at bulkhead in Quissett Harbor	1,100.00
Aviation Committee	1,200.00
Replacing and maintaining of Christmas street lights	800.00
Advertising the Town through Board of Trade	1,000.00
Planting of trees and flowering shrubs	1,000.00
Widening, hardening and straightening Moonakiss Road, Waquoit	4,420.43
New Fire Station—North Falmouth	30,000.00
Propagation of Shellfish	1,000.00
Construction of Traffic circle, Corner of Falmouth Heights Road and Main Street	5,500.00
Hardening and surfacing roads, Falmouth Housing Authority property	3,420.00
Reimbursing Earl G. Boardman—Water main Extension	8,007.33
Reimbursing Ralph M. Johnson Jr.—Water main Extension) Johnson Road—Jericho	2,205.82
Reimbursing Ralph M. Johnson Jr.—Water main Extension Holland Street—Jericho	2,050.62

Hardening portion of Teaticket Path	4,252.68
Widening, hardening and straightening Hillside Ave.	3,232.00
Widening, hardening and straightening Standish Ave.	4,800.00
Widening, hardening and straightening Sumner Street	1,250.00
Widening, hardening and straightening Ardmore Street	1,430.00
Installation of Street Lights	354.80
Propagation and rearing of Game and Fish	500.00
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS	\$110,017.52
Amount of Town Budget, including Water	1,133,543.57
TOTAL, Appropriations & Budget, including Water	\$1,243,561.09
LESS TRANSFERS;	
Water Dept. Amount to be taken from Water Revenue	107,484.38
BALANCE TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION	\$1,136,076.71

APPROPRIATIONS, WATER DEPARTMENT

To be raised by notes or Bonds:—

LILLIE ROAD, MORGAN ROAD and JACQUES LOEB	
ROAD EXTENSION	\$7,300.00
Payable \$1,000. annually for 7 years beginning one year from date of issue and \$300. the following year. 9% guarantee	
FAIRVIEW AVE.—ALLEN AVE. WATER MAIN	
REPLACEMENT	6,000.00
Payable \$500. annually for 12 years beginning one year from date of issue.	
NYE'S NECK DEVELOPMENT	9,500.00
Payable \$1000. for 4 years and \$500. for 11 years thereafter, beginning one year from date of issue. 9% guarantee	
CONTINUATION OF ALLEN AVE. to CLINTON AVE.	
EXTENSION	3,000.00
Payable \$500. for 6 years beginning one year from date of issue. 9% guarantee	
BY-WATER COURT EXTENSION from SURF DRIVE	1,800.00
Payable \$500. for 3 years and \$300. the following year. 9% guarantee	

APPROPRIATION—TOWN

To be raised by Notes or Bonds:—

JUNIOR—SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING	\$1,300,000.00
\$300,000. borrowed under authority of Chap. 71 of 1949 and \$1,000,000. under authority of Chap. 44, Gen. Laws. Payable not more than 20 years from date of issue	

Annual Town Election, February 21st, 1950

The Election of Town Officers was held at the following polling places:—

- Prec. 1 Community Hall, Woods Hole
- Prec. 2 Community Center, Falmouth
- Prec. 3 Falmouth Recreation Building
- Prec. 4 East Falmouth School House, East Falmouth
- Prec. 5 Megansett Grange Hall, North Falmouth

The Polls were open from 9 o'clock A. M. to 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Number of Ballots cast in each Precinct were:—

Prec. 1	415
Prec. 2	727
Prec. 3	841
Prec. 4	571
Prec. 5	446

Total number of Ballots cast were 3000.

The following were balloted on for Town Officers,

* Marks candidate elected.

	Precinct					Total
	1	2	3	4	5	
Moderator, for 1 Year						
*Milford R. Lawrence	346	649	616	409	375	2395
Town Clerk, for 3 Years						
*Eunice M. Lawrence	364	671	645	375	378	2433
Town Treasurer, for 3 Years						
*Eunice M. Lawrence	358	659	622	359	370	2368
Selectman, for 3 Years						
Ray S. Hall	48	77	80	41	136	382
Edward H. Murphy	104	309	330	211	73	1027
*Charles R. Stowers	225	365	341	239	217	1387
William Wagner	18	15	65	70	10	178

	1	2	3	4	5	Total
Assessor, for 3 Years						
Ray S. Hall	48	79	85	43	136	391
Edward H. Murphy	105	301	329	206	71	1012
*Charles R. Stowers	220	358	335	234	217	1364
William Wagner	18	21	66	67	11	183
Trustee Public Library, for 3 Years						
*Abigail B. Hopson	314	587	545	341	319	2106
Water Commissioners, for 3 Years						
Ralph F. Robbins	41	78	109	27	63	318
Manuel R. Soares	50	140	324	391	111	1016
*George R. Thayer	306	526	352	128	238	1550
Park Commissioner, for 3 years						
*Willard E. Boyden	172	384	295	194	202	1247
John Cabral	22	64	197	150	33	466
Joseph A. Dougherty	26	124	112	36	31	329
John Pena	156	158	167	159	135	775
School Committee, for 3 years						
John DeMello Jr.	57	161	292	341	100	951
*Donald B. MacKilligan	230	429	354	164	257	1434
John McGilvrary	187	164	60	31	58	500
Ottola Annette Odom	31	56	166	203	38	494
*Abigail J. P. Powers	130	381	326	93	172	1102
Frederick W. Wormelle Jr.	109	189	155	67	114	634
School Committee, for 1 year						
Joseph W. Grey Jr.	89	105	160	46	62	462
Manuel R. Tavares	31	59	222	380	63	755
Esther T. Vose	48	133	106	34	112	433
*Laurence S. White	213	430	279	80	170	1172
Highway Surveyor, for 3 years						
*Nathan S. Ellis Jr.	361	672	657	411	382	2483
Collector of Taxes, for 3 years						
*George W. Hastay	336	656	605	318	370	2285
Planning Board, for 5 years						
*George Harrison Bigelow	273	544	407	268	274	1766
Russell H. Brown	136	282	273	160	159	1010
*William W. Peters	236	440	416	283	233	1608

	1	2	3	4	5	Total
Constables, for 1 year						
*Gardner Blossom	279	475	399	278	255	1686
Richard H. Hopkins	92	175	160	154	138	719
Robert H. Walker	163	99	107	76	57	502
*Elmer F. White	172	553	548	295	265	1833
Falmouth Housing Authority Member, for 5 years						
Russell C. Palmer	86	199	325	258	138	1006
Armand Parent	37	66	97	81	30	311
*Niles A. Peterson Jr.	215	449	288	116	201	1269
Town of Falmouth Beach Committee, for 1 year						
*Charles Botelho	47	81	235	333	59	755
Oliver F. Freeman	103	173	124	44	145	589
Otis M. Porter	96	283	185	58	80	702
James H. Taylor	79	144	154	58	75	510
Town of Falmouth Beach Committee, for 2 years						
Theodore L. Chase	108	102	140	108	69	527
Norman S. Lumbert	29	146	216	135	88	614
Robert T. Pratt	146	59	82	54	39	380
*John A. Worthington	93	374	221	117	145	950
Town of Falmouth Beach Committee, for 3 years						
*Clarence M. Cobb	216	450	302	141	216	1325
William Costa	18	34	93	170	22	337
John R. Hellman	62	91	91	36	89	369
Wallace R. Marrow	37	99	132	50	27	345
Freddy Sylvia	10	26	81	80	18	215

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS, PREC. 1
For 3 Years

	had votes		had votes
*Dorothy Berg	299	Russell F. Lewis	134
*Robert A. Goffin	238	Mary N. Lowey	172
*George A. Griffin	252	George Mellor	140
Martha F. Hilton	161	*Wilbur M. Merrill	220
Sumner E. Hilton	173	Elizabeth L. Morse	179
*Bostwick H. Ketchum	207	*Frederick deW. Pingree	191
*C. Eliot Lawrence	195	*Alfred C. Redfield	238
*Eugenia Swift Lawrence	195	*Mary Sears	222
*Josephine W. Lawrence	191	Mary-Ellen Woodcock	134

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS, PREC. 2
For 3 Years

had votes		had votes	
*Harold L. Baker Jr.	498	*Robert D. McDonald	355
*Willard E. Boyden	398	*Madeline McLane	335
Florence Foster Bryant	300	*Gordon I. Miller	454
*Clarence M. Cobb	435	James F. Moran	239
*Clayton W. Collins	505	Mark N. Moran Jr.	278
*Stella M. Collins	380	James Nicol	231
*Robert W. Donnelly	413	*James M. Pafford	419
Joseph T. Doyle	188	Charles F. Parker	317
*Arthur C. Eastman Jr.	522	Blanche E. Pattee	284
John O. Henriksen	196	*Ernest A. Sterling	334
*Delmar R. Jenkins	534	Helen F. Swift	307
*Ellen H. Jones	360	James H. Taylor	211
*Anne T. Lawrence	405	*Carl L. Watson	397
*Milton R. MacWhinnie	340	*Laurence S. White	522

For 1 Year (Unexpired term)

had votes		had votes	
*Ruth M. Boyatt	286	Catherine C. Lawrence	278

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS, PREC. 3
For 3 Years

had votes		had votes	
*John R. Augusta	423	*Roger A. Murray	415
*Thomas Ferreira	320	*Alvan L. Nickerson	433
*Joseph Figuerido	324	Frederick B. Pease	295
*Frederick C. Fish	427	*Joseph A. Robbins	412
Aloyius C. Fohey	238	John Rose	249
*Robert B. Gushee	344	Freddie Sylvia	210
*Frederick E. Hazelton	419	*Alfred L. Welch	343
Harry C. Higgins	285	Arlene S. Welch	315
*Edward F. Kempton	338	*Henry J. Welch Jr.	334
*Betsey M. MacDougall	370	*Ray D. Wells	366
*Henry L. Meyer	382	*Ray D. Wells Jr.	445
*Alice Mogardo	325	*Winnona F. Williams	338

For 2 Years (Unexpired term)

had votes		had votes	
Beverly S. Emery	298	*Armand Ortins	344
*John J. Fay Jr.	401	Pearl W. Struth	191
*Peter G. Karalekas	335		

For 1 Year (Unexpired term)

had votes		had votes	
Thelma R. Eident	250	*Elizabeth B. Murray	322

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS, PREC. 4**For 3 Years**

	had votes		had votes
*Arlene L. Bumpus	203	Clarence H. Noyes	186
*Frederick F. Bumpus	205	*Manuel B. Pacheco Jr.	280
*Laura E. Davis	297	*George Pinto	206
*Mary DeMello	317	Lewis H. Pratt	147
*John Gracia DeRose	263	*Manuel F. Rapoza	277
Harold O. Hayward	173	Albert Santos	189
Marion A. Hayward	150	*Manuel O. Souza	261
John L. Heckmann	164	*Blanche D. Sylvia	219
Joseph E. Hodgkins	169	*Frank E. Worcester	247
Harry B. Hopson	189		

For 1 Year (Unexpired term)

	had votes
*Antone Vieira	365

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS, PREC. 5**For 3 Years**

	had votes		had votes
*Ethel B. Allen	255	Manuel T. Medeiros	145
*Roy W. Allen	249	*Joseph B. Merrick	187
*Harold Lee Baker	245	Bernard C. O'Connor	178
Reginald H. Bowman	182	Roger S. Phillips	128
Grover B. Cole	183	*Vivian H. Randall	199
*Frances G. Fowle	208	Dorothy H. Regan	182
*Lawrence D. Hinckley	230	*Joseph R. Towers Jr.	257
*Adelaide R. Howe	250	*Thomas J. Walker Jr.	187
*Hollis Jennings	222		

For 2 Years (Unexpired term)

	had votes		had votes
*Liverus H. Howe	203	Milton E. Williamson	154

Town Committees for 1950

Finance Committee, 3 year term

John H. Howe	Samuel H. Wright
Horace S. Estay	Laurence M. Burdo
Manuel R. Tavares, (Davisville Road, East Fal.)	

Finance Committee, 2 year term

Frank M. MacNaught

Finance Committee, 1 year term

Niles A. Peterson Jr.

Town Forest Committee

Wilfrid Wheeler	Dr. Alfred C. Redfield
Harry V. Lawrence	Antone B. Couto Jr.
Chief—George G. Ferris	

Long Pond Water Shed

Water Commissioners	Town Forest Committee
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Ambulance Committee

Dr. Thomas A. Wiswall	Dorothy Morehouse
Dr. Harold O. Hunt	Lt. Col. Ray D. Wells
Chief—George G. Ferris	

Town Survey and Assessors' Maps

Chairman, Assessors	Chairman, Planning Board
Chairman, Finance Committee	

Christmas Tree Lighting

Granville Beale	Charles E. Morrison
Adelard J. SanSouci	C. Eliot Lawrence
Nathan S. Ellis Jr.	

Aviation Committee

Charles L. Swift

Frederick V. Lawrence

Marvin Odom

Morris P. Frost

Robert Draper

Arnold H. Burrough

Shore Erosion Committee

One Selectman

Chairman Finance Committee

Harbor Master

Town Survey Engineer

Highway Surveyor

W. Russell Nickerson

Milton C. Fish

Falmouth Planting Committee

Member of Board of Selectmen

Chairman of Park Commissioners

Member of Village Improvement Society

Member of the Town Forestry Committee

Member of Planning Board: William M. Gifford app. 3/21

Member of the Garden Club

Tree Warden

Highway Surveyor

Committee on Sewerage Disposal Study

One Member of Board of Health

Dr. Lewis C. Weeks

One Member of Planning Board: Robert W. Griffin app. 3/21

Dr. Charles Packard

Robert C. Neal

Care and Upkeep of Old Town Cemetery

Frank E. Worcester

Azel C. Young

Delmar R. Jenkins

Community Center Building

Repair and Improvement Committee

John E. Overy, Chairman

Ralph Landers

Board of Selectmen

Harold A. Davis

Arthur P. Chase

Managing Board of Falmouth Recreation Building

(appointed by Moderator)

For Three Years (appointed 1950—expires 1953)

James McInnis

Mrs. Vivian Brown

Mrs. Rosaline H. McLane

For Three Years (appointed 1949—expires 1952)

Joseph Motta

Willard E. Boyden

Mrs. Mildred L. Hadley

For Three Years (app. 1948 - ex. 1951) Dr. Charles B. Regan

Joseph B. Miskell Jr. (appointed 1950 to fill vacancy)

John H. Howe, (appointed 1950 to fill vacancy)

Veterans Advisory Committee

Roy A. Berg

Ralph I. Maloon

Frank E. Worcester

Rev. Leslie F. Wallace

Joseph Motta

Roland H. Choate

Rev. John J. Kelly

Dr. Joseph H. Denton Jr.

Russell B. Marshall

Rev. J. M. Bettencourt

Marian V. Bennett

Study of Falmouth Heights Corner Traffic

William E. English, Chm. of Selectmen

Charles A. White

Nathan S. Ellis Jr., Highway Surveyor

George H. Bigelow

William G. MacDougall

Railroad Transportation Committee

Frederick V. Lawrence

C. Edward Hall

Noah M. Gediman

Committee to Investigate School Building Needs

School Committee

Herbert E. Hunziker

Robert C. Tait

James M. Pafford

Herbert I. McLane

Member of Planning Board—Sidney W. Lawrence app. 3/21

Committee to Study a Suitable Memorial to All War Dead

Delmar R. Jenkins

Alvan L. Nickerson

Paul Dingwell

Mrs. Arthur S. Weeks

Mrs. Helen A. James

Morton P. Francis

Robert W. Griffin

North Falmouth Fire Station Building Committee

John H. Howe

John E. Overy

Joseph R. Towers

Roger F. Noyes, Fire Eng. A member of Finance Committee

Member of Planning Board—John DeMello appointed 3/21

**Committee to Study Possibilities of Air
Transportation Services at Coonamessett Airport**

William G. MacDougall	Chairman of Finance Committee
William E. English	Chairman of Selectmen
George H. Bigelow	Chairman of Planning Board
Charles L. Swift	Chairman of Aviation Committee

and

Three Representatives, Board of Trade:

John R. Peterson Henry J. Welch Jr. Harold L. Baker Jr.
these appointed by Pres. of Board of Trade.

**Committee on Exchange of Portion of Sidney Lawrence Land
with Portion of Goodwill Park Property**

Park Commissioners	Finance Committee
Members of Planning Board	

Report of Special Town Meeting Held Tuesday, December 5, 1950

In accordance with the Warrant for the Special Town Meeting duly published and posted as directed, the voters met at the Henry W. Hall School Auditorium on Tuesday, December 5th at 7:30 o'clock P. M. to act upon the articles contained therein:—

The tellers appointed and sworn to office were:—

Albert E. Landers George B. Panton Mark N. Moran Jr.

William B. Hastings was sworn as stenographer for the duration of the meeting.

Officers in attendance were:—

Oscar W. Peterson Arthur W. Robichaud

At 7:38 o'clock the meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Milford R. Lawrence. The number of town meeting members necessary to constitute a quorum for this meeting was 113. A count of the town meeting members at 7:42 o'clock showed 138 present and a quorum was declared.

The invocation was given by the Rev. Albert W. Jackson, Pastor of the Methodist Church, Falmouth.

Article 1. To see if the town will vote to name the proposed new high school "The Falmouth Memorial High School" and raise and appropriate the sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500.) for the purpose of purchasing and placing a bronze plaque inscribed with the names of the World War II dead, said plaque to be placed on a boulder located by or near the flag pole, or take any other action for said purpose.

On petition of the Falmouth Veterans of World War II, Amvets Post No. 70.

Voted, that the new Junior-Senior High School Building be named Lawrence High School, and that an appropriate part thereof, to wit:—the Auditorium be dedicated as a memorial to the Town's War Dead and that the sum of \$1,500. be appropriated from the Excess and Deficiency Account for the purchasing and placing of a suitable plaque or plaques or other device to be located within the building to designate that said auditorium is such memorial, said sum to be spent under the supervision of the Committee to Study a Suitable Memorial to All War Dead, said committee to work in conjunction with the School Building Needs Committee. Passed by affirmative vote, a quorum being present.

Article 2. To see if the town will vote to accept as a gift a piece of land from the Moors Associates, said land being located at the Moors and being described as follows:—

A piece of land 60 feet wide on the northerly side of Beach road and extending from the property now or formerly of James Johnstone to the property line now or formerly of George Weld Estate.

On petition of Hollis Lovell and others.

Indefinitely postponed.

Article 3. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the following amount of money for the installation of street lights on the location specified or do or act anything else in said matters, viz:

Sec. D. \$33.60 for 2 street lights on old Shore road, North Falmouth Community property.

On petition of Bernard O'Connor and others.

Indefinitely postponed.

Article 4. To see if the town will vote to change from a Residential District to a Light Industrial District and so record on the town zoning map, that parcel of land located in that part of Falmouth known as Teaticket off the Easterly side of Route 28 and bounded and described as follows:—

Northerly by land now or formerly of Cornelius P. Van Tol;

Easterly by land said to be owned now or formerly by Henry Le-fevre, Trustee;

Southeasterly by land now or formerly of Bowman, known as Concrete Products Co.;

Westerly by a cranberry bog and land now or formerly of Peter J. Beaton et al;

Containing an area of 3.5 acres of upland and .7 acres of marsh.

On petition of Albert L. Bowman and others.

Above 4 articles referred from February 14, 1950 Annual Town Meeting.

Indefinitely postponed.

Article 5. To see if the town will vote to appropriate from Excess and Deficiency Account or other available funds, the following amounts.

\$2709.30 to Liability Insurance.

\$165.00 to maintenance of traffic lights.

On petition of the Board of Selectmen.

Voted, that the following sums be appropriated from Excess and Deficiency Account:—

\$2,709.30 to Liability Insurance.

165.00 to maintenance of traffic lights.

said sums to be expended under supervision of the Selectmen. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 6. To see if the town will vote to appropriate from Excess and Deficiency Account to Veterans' Services, the sum of \$400. to defray expenses for the balance of the year.

On request of Roy A. Berg, Veterans' Agent.

Voted, to appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Account the amount of \$400., said sum to be added to Veterans' Services account to defray expenses for the balance of the year. *Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.*

Article 7. To see if the town will vote to appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Account, or from other available sources, the sum of Thirty-five Hundred (\$3,500.00) Dollars to be added to the budget of Aid to Dependent Children to defray the expenses of the department for the remainder of the year of 1950.

On request of the Board of Public Welfare.

Voted, to appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of \$3,500., said sum to be added to Aid to Dependent Children budget to defray expenses for the remainder of the year. *Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.*

Article 8. To see if the town will vote to appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Account, or from other available sources, the sum of Two Thousand Dollars (2,000.00) to be added to the budget of the Bureau of Old Age Assistance to defray the expenses of the department for the remainder of the year of 1950.

On request of the Board of Public Welfare.

Voted, to appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of \$2,000., said sum to be added to Old Age Assistance budget to defray expenses for the remainder of the year. *Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.*

Article 9. To see if the town will vote to enter into an agreement for acquiring, installing and maintaining parking meters on certain streets of the town or to appropriate for said purposes from the Excess and Deficiency Account such sum of money as may be necessary to acquire, install, maintain and operate such meters, or to take any other action for said purposes.

On request of the Board of Selectmen.

Voted, that this article be postponed to the next Annual Town Meeting, and that a Committee be appointed to make a study of parking meters in the Town of Falmouth and report to the next Annual Town Meeting. Said Committee to consist of the Chairman of the Planning Board, President of the Board of Trade and one member of the Finance Committee to be designated by that Committee. *Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.*

Article 10. To see if the town will appropriate from Excess and Deficiency Account to the Fire Department the sum of \$1,000.00 for the purpose of paying for the repair, overhaul and reconditioning of the Ahrens-Fox pumper located in the central fire station.

On request of the Board of Fire Engineers.

Voted, to appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of \$1,000. to the Fire Department for the purpose of paying for the repair, overhaul and reconditioning of the Ahrens-Fox pumper located in the central fire station, said sum to be expended under the supervision of the Board of Fire Engineers. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 11. To see if the town will vote to appropriate from Excess and Deficiency Account or other available sources, the sum of \$900.00 to replace the air pump in the central fire station to be used in connection with the whistle fire alarm, said purchase to be on specifications of the Chief of the Fire Department and of the Board of Engineers.

On request of the Chief, Fire Department.

Voted, that this article be referred to the next Annual Town Meeting.

Article 12. To see if the town will vote to appropriate from Excess and Deficiency Account or other available sources, the sum of \$3,000.00 to purchase and install at central fire station an emergency gasoline-driven electric generator together with necessary accessory equipment for use in emergency which may result in loss of power and lights such as a hurricane, accidental cutoff, or action by civil defense activity.

On request of the Chief, Fire Department.

Indefinitely postponed.

Article 13. To see if the town will vote to acquire by purchase or by taking for school purposes the following parcels of swamp land located between Weeks' Pond and Shiverick's Pond:

Parcel A. Bounded on the North by Weeks' Pond, on the East by land of Max Cohen, on the South by land of Hannah Davis, on the West by a ditch and land of the town of Falmouth; said parcel consisting of approximately 0.3 acres of land now or formerly of Max Cohen.

Parcel B. Bounded on the North by land of Max Cohen, on the East by land of Hannah Davis, on the South by land of Winthrop H. Robbins, on the West by a ditch and land of the Town of Falmouth; said parcel consisting of 0.3 acres of land now or formerly of Hannah Davis.

Said Parcels A and B being as shown on Plan on file with the Board of Selectmen and the Town Survey Department, and to appropriate from Exces and Deficiency Account or other available sources the necessary money therefor, said takings to be made and said money to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen; or take any other action necessary.

On request of the Planning Board.

Voted, to acquire by purchase or by taking for school purposes the following parcels of swamp land located between Weeks' Pond and Shiverick's Pond;

Parcel A. Bounded on the North by Weeks' Pond, on the East by land of Max Cohen, on the South by land of Hannah Davis, on the West by a ditch and land of the town of Falmouth, or such portions thereof as

may be agreed upon; said parcel consisting of approximately 0.3 acres of land now or formerly of Max Cohen and appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of \$100. therefor.

Parcel B. Bounded on the North by land of Max Cohen, on the East by land of Hannah Davis, on the South by land of Winthrop H. Robbins, on the West by a ditch and land of the Town of Falmouth; said parcel consisting of 0.3 acres of land now or formerly of Hannah Davis, and appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of \$100. therefor.

Said Parcels A and B being as shown on Plan on file with the Board of Selectmen and the Town Survey Department, said purchases or takings to be made by the Board of Selectmen. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 14. To see if the town will accept as a gift, subject to such rights and conditions, if any, as are mutually acceptable, or acquire for school purposes by purchase or taking, a certain parcel of land now or formerly of Sidney W. Lawrence and described as follows:—

Bounded on the North by Lakeview Avenue, on the East by land of Sidney W. Lawrence, on the South by land of the Town of Falmouth, and on the West by the Town Right of Way from Lakeview Avenue to the new high school site, said land being approximately 1.2 acres and consisting of Lots No. 19, No. 20, No. 22, No. 23, No. 24 and a portion of Lot No. 18 and the right of way servicing these lots as shown on a plan filed with the Board of Selectmen, and to appropriate from Excess and Deficiency Account or other available sources any amounts necessary for this purpose or take any other action necessary.

On request of the Planning Board.

Voted, that the Town does accept with thanks a gift for school purposes, subject to such rights and conditions, if any, as are mutually acceptable, a certain parcel of land now or formerly of Sidney W. Lawrence and described as follows:—

Bounded on the North by Lakeview Avenue, on the East by land of Sidney W. Lawrence, on the South by land of the Town of Falmouth and on the West by the Town Right of Way from Lakeview Avenue to the new high school site. Said land being approximately 1.2 acres and consisting of Lots No. 19, No. 20, No. 22, No. 23, No. 24 and a portion of Lot No. 18 and the right of way servicing these lots as shown on a plan filed with the Board of Selectmen. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 15. To see if the town will vote to appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Account, or other available sources, the sum of \$3,756.00 to repair boiler at the Village School and to replace boiler at the East Falmouth School to meet State requirements, or take any other action in the matter.

On request of the School Committee.

Voted, to appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of \$3,756. to repair boiler at the Village School and to replace boiler at the East Falmouth School to meet State requirements. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 16. To see if the town will vote to appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Account, or other available sources, the sum of \$250.00 to purchase and install stop lights on ten school busses; or take any other action in the matter.

On request of the School Committee.

A hand vote was taken and the count was 30 in favor, 94 against and the motion did not prevail. It was then moved that all the school bus owners be instructed to install stop lights on their buses, any other action on this article was indefinitely postponed.

Article 17. To see if the town will vote to extend the water mains by laying an 8-inch pipe from Palmer Avenue in and through Lakeview Avenue to a point in said Avenue at or near the entrance to the proposed Junior-Senior High School, a distance of approximately 1,200 feet, thence by laying pipe 8 inches in diameter into said school a distance of approximately 550 feet, and by laying pipe not less than 6 inches in diameter in and through Lakeview Avenue, from the entrance to the Junior-Senior High School, easterly to Gifford Street, a distance of 1,560 feet, all at an estimated cost of \$14,000.00 and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for said purposes from available funds of the town or by notes or bonds of the town issued in legal form therefor, said notes or bonds and the interest thereon to be paid out of general funds or by other available funds, said extension on Lakeview Avenue beyond the entrance to said school site considered necessary by the Water Commissioners for the improvement of the water system, or do or act anything else in these matters.

On petition of the School Building Needs Committee, the School Committee and the Water Commissioners

Voted, that the sum of \$11,500. be appropriated from the Excess and Deficiency Account to pay the cost of extending the water mains by laying an 8-inch pipe from Palmer Avenue in and through Lakeview Avenue to a point at or near the entrance to the proposed Junior-Senior High School, a distance of approximately 1200 feet and by laying a pipe not less than 6-inches in diameter in and through Lakeview Avenue from said entrance to the Junior-Senior High School Easterly to Gifford Street, a further distance of approximately 1560 feet, said extensions on Lakeview Avenue being considered necessary by the Water Commissioners for the improvement of the water system. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Also voted, that the sum of \$2,500. be appropriated from the Excess and Deficiency Account, the same to be used following the extension of water mains in Lakeview Avenue provided for in the previous vote in order to construct a water pipe line 8-inches in diameter from the entrance to said Junior-Senior High School at Lakeview Avenue into said School. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 18. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$80,000.00 or other adequate sum of money to be used for payment of the cost of constructing six (6) classrooms additional to those now contracted for in the new Junior-Senior High School building, for payment

of additional engineering and architect's fees and the services of the Town's Clerk of the Works (Construction Inspector), said money to be appropriated from available funds in the Treasury (Excess and Deficiency Account) or raised by notes or bonds of the town issued in legal form therefor, said work to be done and said money to be expended under the supervision of the Falmouth School Building Needs Committee, or act or do anything else in these matters.

On petition of Falmouth School Building Needs Committee.

Voted, to appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of \$80,000., said amount to be used for payment of the cost of constructing six (6) classrooms additional to those now contracted for in the new Junior-Senior High School Building, and for payment of additional engineering and architect's fees and the services of the Town's Clerk of the Works (Construction Inspector), said amount to be expended under the supervision of the Falmouth School Building Needs Committee. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 19. To see if the town will vote to appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Account, or other available sources, the sum of \$3,211.39 for the purpose of paying the expense of completion of the Woods Hole Sewerage System; also to pay for the maintenance and operating expenses of said sewerage system.

On petition of the Special Sewerage Committee.

Voted, to appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of \$3,211.39 for the purpose of paying the expense of completion of the Woods Hole Sewerage System; also to pay for the maintenance and operating expenses of said sewerage system, said amount to be expended by the Committee on Sewerage Disposal Study. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 20. To see if with reference to the Woods Hole Sewerage System the town will vote:—

(a) to determine what part of the cost of said system the town shall pay and what part thereof shall be paid by the owners of land who are legally assessable therefor.

(b) to decide which of the methods authorized and permitted shall be used to meet the remaining portion of the cost of said sewerage system.

(c) to authorize the Sewerage Committee to act as Sewer Commissioners until the 1951 annual town election, and

(d) to provide for the election of three (3) sewer commissioners by ballot at the next annual town election, and to act or do anything else in said matters and for said purposes, or incidental thereto.

On petition of the Special Sewerage Committee.

Voted, (a) that 55% is hereby determined as the part of the cost of the Woods Hole Sewerage System to be borne and paid by the Town of Falmouth; that 45% is hereby determined as the part of the cost of said Woods Hole Sewerage System to be borne and paid by the owners of the land within the territory served. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

The following motion was then offered but not passed: (b) that the 45% part of the cost of said Woods Hole Sewerage System to be borne and paid by the owners of the land within the territory served be assessed by the Sewer Commissioners or the Committee acting by vote of the Town as Sewer Commissioners, according to the frontage of such land on any way, in which a sewer is constructed which rate is fixed at \$3.50 per running front foot, and that the other terms of payment of such assessments be determined by said Commissioners or said Committee acting as such. If land abuts upon more than one way, the assessment shall apply on one such way and the other way shall be subject to an exemption of not less than sixty feet. A hand vote was taken which showed 21 voted in favor 97 against and the motion did not prevail.

It was then voted, (b) that the 45% portion of the cost of said Woods Hole Sewerage System to be borne and paid by the owners of the land within the territory served, be assessed by the Sewer Commissioners or the Committee acting by vote of the Town as Sewer Commissioners, on the basis of \$2.50 on the frontage of such land on any way, in which a sewer is constructed plus as a use charge 50% of the annual water bill assessed by the Water Department of the Town of Falmouth on such property, the other terms of payment of such assessments to be left to the determination of said Commissioners or Committee acting as Commissioners. If land abuts upon more than one way, the assessment shall apply on one such way and the other way shall be subject to an exemption of not less than sixty feet. A hand vote was taken which showed 81 voted affirmative 14 negative and the motion prevailed, a quorum declared present.

Voted, (c and d) that the Special Sewerage Committee now and heretofore so acting are hereby authorized to act as and with the authority of Sewer Commissioners until three (3) Sewer Commissioners are duly elected by ballot.

that at the next annual Town Meeting three (3) Sewer Commissioners be duly elected by ballot. Unanimous vote a quorum being present.

Article 21. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to amend and modify the present Contract of the town with John Pena for the collection of garbage and refuse, by changing the annual sum therein set forth from \$21,580 to \$24,080. Subject to an adequate provision of funds therefor by the town; and to appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00 required for the year 1950 for said Contract as amended, out of Excess and Deficiency Account or other available funds; or to act or do anything else in this matter.

On petition of John Pena and others.

A hand vote was taken and the count was 20 in favor, 82 against and the motion did not prevail.

This article was then indefinitely postponed.

Article 22. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$50.00 for the purpose of refunding the same for permit charges made and paid by certain contractors on the Falmouth Housing Authority con-

struction, said amount to be taken from the Excess and Deficiency Account, or take any other action in this matter.

On petition of the Falmouth Housing Authority.

Voted, to appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of \$50.00 for the purpose of refunding two payments of \$25.00 each paid for Town permits on the work of the Falmouth Housing Authority construction. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 23. To see if the town will appropriate from available funds or to raise by the issuance of notes and bonds in legal form therefor the amount of \$15,000. or such other sum as shall be necessary for the purpose of providing and installing an elevator in the new Junior-Senior High School, such sum to be expended under the supervision of the School Building Needs Committee, or act or do anything else in the matter.

On petition of William W. Peters and others.

Indefinitely postponed.

Article 24. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate from Excess and Deficiency Account or other available sources or otherwise, \$1,660.00 to reimburse Leo J. Griffin for the cost of installing a 6-inch water main in accordance with the supervision of the Board of Water Commissioners in Stowers Street in the section known as Maravista, a distance of 649 feet, the same to be subject to a 9% guaranty provided proper easements are given to the town and a proper transfer made to the town of said main, equipment and hydrants, or take any other action or act anything else in these matters.

On petition of Leo J. Griffin and others.

Postponed to the next Annual Town Meeting.

Article 25. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate from Excess and Deficiency Account or other available sources or otherwise, \$1,679.79 to reimburse Leo J. Griffin for the cost of installing a 6-inch water main in accordance with the supervision of the Board of Water Commissioners in Nickerson Street in the section known as Maravista, a distance of 659.5 feet, the same to be subject to a 9% guaranty provided proper easements are given to the town and a proper transfer made to the town of said main, equipment and hydrants, or take any other action or act anything else in these matters.

On petition of Leo J. Griffin and others.

Postponed to the next Annual Town Meeting.

Article 26. To see if the town will vote to extend the water mains by laying pipe not less than 6-inches in diameter in and through a certain private way known as Maravista Avenue Extension, extending Northerly from the existing main on Maravista Avenue, over property owned by Leo J. Griffin, located in Maravista, a total distance of 320 feet, at an estimated cost of \$1,174.00, and for said purpose, raise and appropriate the necessary amount of money therefor by tax levy, water revenue, water surplus, or by notes or bonds of the town, issued in legal

form therefor, said extension being subject to a 9% guaranty, and provided also that the owner shall grant permanent easements in said private way to the town, or take any other action or pass any other votes for said purposes.

On petition of Leo J. Griffin and others.

Postponed to the next Annual Town Meeting.

Article 27. To see if the town will vote to extend the water mains by laying pipe not less than 6-inches in diameter in and through a certain private way known as English street, extending Easterly from Maravista Avenue Extension, over property owned by Leo J. Griffin, located in Maravista, a total distance of 825 feet, at an estimated cost of \$2,800.00, and for said purpose raise and appropriate the necessary amount of money therefor by tax levy, water revenue, water surplus, or by notes or bonds of the town issued in legal form therefor, said extension being subject to a 9% guaranty, and provided also that the owner shall grant permanent easements in said private way to the town, or take any other action or pass any other votes for said purposes.

On petition of Leo J. Griffin and others.

Postponed to the next Annual Town Meeting.

Article 28. To see if the town will vote to ratify and confirm the action of the Selectmen in executing a lease on behalf of the town with the United States of America, said lease being dated July 1, 1950 with automatic renewal until June 30, 1955, the immediate use of said premises having been necessary, or take any other necessary or advisable action in this matter.

On request of the Board of Selectmen.

Voted, that the Town ratify and confirm the action of the Selectmen in executing a lease on behalf of the Town with the United States of America, said lease being dated July 1, 1950 with automatic renewal until June 30, 1955. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 29. To see if the town will vote to transfer the following amounts from existing Water Department balances, viz:—

A. From Minot Street Extension	\$7.14
From Cordwood Landing Road Extension	4.00
From Sacconneset Hills Extension	2.20

To Moreland Road Extension	\$13.34
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B. From Minot Street Extension	19.50
From Water Department Maintenance, Salaries and Wages	1,575.10

To Water Department Maintenance, all other	\$1,594.60
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or take any other necessary action in these matters.

On petition of the Water Commissioners.

Voted, to transfer the following amounts from existing Water Department balances, viz:

A.	From Minot Street Extension	\$7.14
	From Cordwood Landing Road Extension	4.00
	From Sacconnesset Hills Extension	2.20
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	To Moreland Road Extension	\$13.34
B.	From Minot Street Extension	19.50
	From Water Department Maintenance, Salaries and Wages	<hr/>
		1,575.10
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	To Water Department Maintenance, all other	\$1,594.60
	Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.	

Article 30. To see if the town will vote to transfer the care and management of the parking lot, tennis court and playground located at the rear of the Community Center Building from the Board of Selectmen to the Board of Park Commissioners.

On request of the Park Commissioners.

Voted, to transfer from the Board of Selectmen to the Board of Park Commissioners the care and management of the tennis courts and playground, exclusive of the automobile parking area, located at the rear of the Community Center Building. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 31. To see if the town will transfer the amount of \$300. from the Moth Department (all other) to the Tree Department for crane hire for the removal of three large stumps.

On petition of the Tree Warden.

Voted, to transfer the amount of \$300. from the Moth Department (all other) to the Tree Department (all other) for crane hire for the removal of three large stumps.

Article 32. To see if the town will accept Section 111A of General Laws, Chapter 172 of the Acts of 1949 which provides that all members of the regular or permanent police or fire force may be granted vacation of not less than two (2) weeks during each year without loss of pay.

On petition of Finance Committee, John R. Hughes, Secretary.

Voted, to accept Section 111A of General Laws, Chapter 172 of the Acts of 1949 which provides that all members of the regular or permanent police or fire force may be granted vacation of not less than two (2) weeks during each year without loss of pay. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 33. To see if the town will accept Section 111D of General Laws, Chapter 41 as inserted by Chapter 384 of the Acts of 1949 which provides that regular members of the police or fire force serving more than 5 years but less than 10 years may be granted a vacation of three (3) weeks without loss of pay and those serving for more than 10 years may be granted vacation of four (4) weeks without loss of pay.

On petition of Finance Committee, John R. Hughes, Secretary.

Indefinitely postponed.

Article 34. To see if the town will accept Section 111B of General Laws, Chapter 41 as inserted by Chapter 156 of the Acts of 1945, Chapter 187 of the Acts of 1946 and Chapter 686 of the Acts of 1949 which provides for sick leaves and accumulated sick leaves for foremen, laborers, workmen and mechanics regularly employed by the Town.

On petition of Finance Committee, John R. Hughes, Secretary.

Voted, to accept Section 111B of General Laws, Chapter 41 as inserted by Chapter 156 of the Acts of 1945, Chapter 187 of the Acts of 1946 and Chapter 686 of the Acts of 1949 which provides for sick leaves and accumulated sick leaves for foremen, laborers, workmen and mechanics regularly employed by the Town. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 35. To see if the town will vote to adopt the following By-Laws relative to the use, care, regulation and control of the restricted bathing beaches in Falmouth, or take any other action on the same, viz:—

1. Setting or maintaining fires on all restricted beaches is prohibited except on approval of Falmouth Beach Committee and by special written permit therefor issued by the Falmouth Fire Department.
2. The use of alcoholic beverages including the bringing of alcoholic beverages on any of the restricted beaches is absolutely prohibited.
3. The playing of baseball or softball on said restricted beaches is prohibited.
4. No dogs shall be brought upon any of said restricted beaches nor permitted thereon.
5. All of said restricted beaches are closed to the public at 12:00 o'clock P.M. daylight saving time and the use thereof for bathing purposes or recreational purposes is prohibited between the hours of 12:00 o'clock midnight and 6:00 o'clock A.M., both hours being daylight saving time.
6. Leaving litter, trash, rubbish or discarded lunch containers or similar articles upon the restricted beaches is strictly prohibited.
7. Parking without a permit issued by the Falmouth Beach Committee on any of the restricted beach areas or the parking areas used in connection with said restricted beaches is strictly prohibited and parking on those areas shall be in conformity with the directions of the Town of Falmouth Beach Committee, or its authorized representatives.
8. For each and every violation of the foregoing By-Laws, there is hereby imposed a penalty of not less than \$10.00 nor more than \$20.00.

On petition of Falmouth Beach Committee.

Voted, to adopt the following By-Laws relative to the use, care, regulation and control of the restricted bathing beaches in Falmouth:—

1. Setting or maintaining fires on all restricted beaches is prohibited except on approval of Falmouth Beach Committee and by special written permit therefor issued by the Falmouth Fire Department.
2. The use of alcoholic beverages including the bringing of alcoholic beverages on any of the restricted beaches is absolutely prohibited.

3. The playing of baseball or softball on said restricted beaches is prohibited.
4. No dogs shall be brought upon any of said restricted beaches nor permitted thereon.
5. All of said restricted beaches are closed to the public at 12:00 o'clock midnight, daylight saving time and the use thereof for bathing purposes or recreational purposes is prohibited between the hours of 12:00 o'clock midnight and 6:00 o'clock A. M., both hours being daylight saving time.
6. Leaving litter, trash, rubbish or discarded lunch containers or similar articles upon the restricted beaches is strictly prohibited.
7. Parking without a permit issued by the Falmouth Beach Committee on any of the restricted beach areas or the parking areas used in connection with said restricted beaches is strictly prohibited and parking on those areas shall be in conformity with the directions of the Town of Falmouth Beach Committee, or its authorized representatives.
8. For each and every violation of the foregoing By-Laws, there is hereby imposed a penalty of not more than \$20.00. A hand vote was taken and the count was 88 affirmative, 14 negative and the motion prevailed.

For adoption of these By-Laws 92 voted affirmative, 10 against and the motion prevailed, a quorum being present.

Article 36. To see if the town will vote to take proper action to prohibit the discharge of firearms and trapping mammals on the shores and waters of Weeks, Shivericks, Siders, Salt and Oyster Ponds by a vote, by-law or petition to the General Court for Legislation, or act or do anything else to affect the above purposes.

On petition of Stanley O. Fisher and others.

Voted, that the Selectmen be instructed on behalf of the Town to petition the General Court for Legislation to prohibit the discharge of firearms on the shores and waters of Weeks, Shivericks, Siders, Salt and Oyster Ponds in the Town of Falmouth. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 37. To see if the town will vote to change from a Single Residence District to a Business District and so record on the Town Zoning Map the following described parcel of land:

A certain parcel of land situated on the Westerly side of Shore Road in that part of the Town of Falmouth, Barnstable County, Massachusetts, known as North Falmouth, more particularly bounded and described as follows:—

Beginning at a point in the Westerly side line of the Shore Road, so-called, four hundred thirty-six and 57/100 (436.57) feet Southerly from an angle in the side line of said Shore Road near the Herring River so-called; thence running in a general Northerly and Westerly direction by three courses, two hundred fifty-two and 88/100 (252.88) feet; thence turning and running Westerly, three hundred fifteen (315) feet more or less to a

point on Buzzards Bay; thence turning and running by said Bay in a general Southwesterly direction, two hundred fifty (250) feet; thence turning and running in a general Easterly direction, seven hundred forty-seven and 42/100 (747.42) feet to a point in the Easterly line of the parcel of land described in Decree of Land Court, Land Court Case No. 12,377; thence turning and running Northerly in the Easterly line of said parcel to a point in said Westerly side line of the Shore Road, so-called; thence by said Westerly side line, three hundred seventeen and 40/100 (317.40) feet to the point of beginning; said parcel being shown as Lot A on a "Plan of Land in Falmouth, Mass., Showing a Subdivision of Land Court Plan No. 12,377A."

On petition of Robert R. Nichols and others.

Postponed to the next Annual Town Meeting.

Article 38. To see if the town will vote to transfer the care and jurisdiction of the Megansett, Chappaquoit and Old Silver Beaches to the Beach Committee.

On request of the Board of Selectmen.

Voted, that the Town does transfer the care and jurisdiction of the Megansett, Chappaquoit and Old Silver Beaches to the Beach Committee. Unanimous vote, a quorum being present.

Article 39. To see if the town will vote to discontinue for road purposes and abandon that land included within the sidelines of Quissett Harbor Road and the Quissett Town Landing as laid out by the Town March 21, 1848 and February 17, 1851, and the lines of said road as re-located by the Town in February, 1925, said re-location being shown on a Plan entitled "Plan of Part of Quissett Harbor Road and Town Landing as Re-Located" and dated February 9, 1925 made by G. A. Griffin, Civil Eng., or take any other appropriate action in these matters and for these purposes.

On petition of Noah M. Gediman and others.

Postponed to the next Annual Town Meeting.

After Article 39 had been acted upon it was voted that this meeting be dissolved, the time was then 12:33 o'clock A. M.

EUNICE M. LAWRENCE

Town Clerk of Falmouth.

Report of State Audit

To the Board of Selectmen

Mr. William E. English, Chairman

Falmouth, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Falmouth for the period from July 1, 1949 to July 8, 1950, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws. This is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. Herman B. Dine, Assistant Director of Accounts.

Very truly yours,

FRANCIS X. LANG

Director of Accounts

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Mr. Francis X. Lang
Director of Accounts
Department of Corporations and Taxation
State House, Boston

Sir:

As directed by you, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the town of Falmouth for the period from July 1, 1949, the date of the previous audit, to July 8, 1950, and report thereon as follows:

The financial transactions as recorded on the books of the several departments receiving or disbursing money for the town or committing bills for collection were examined and verified by comparison with the reports and the records of the treasurer and the town accountant.

The accountant's ledger accounts were analyzed for the period covered by the audit, the receipts being checked with the treasurer's books and the payments being compared with the warrants authorizing them and with the treasurer's records of payments. The appropriation accounts and loan authorizations were checked with the town clerk's records of town meeting proceedings and the recorded transfers from the reserve fund were verified by comparison with the authorizations of the finance committee.

The necessary adjusting entries resulting from the audit were made, and a balance sheet, which is appended to this report, was prepared showing the financial condition of the town on July 8, 1950.

The books and accounts of the town treasurer were examined and checked. The receipts, as recorded, were analyzed and checked with the records of the several departments collecting money for the town and with other sources from which money was paid into the treasury, while the payments were compared with the selectmen's warrants authorizing the treasurer to disburse town funds. The cash book additions were verified, and the cash balance on July

8, 1950 was proved by actual count of cash in the office and by reconciliation of the bank balances with statements furnished by the bank in which town funds are deposited.

The payments made on account of maturing debt and interest were compared with the amounts falling due and with the canceled securities on file.

The savings bank books and securities representing the investments of the trust, investment, and retirement funds in custody of the town treasurer and the trustees were examined and listed. The income was proved, the transfers to the town were verified, and the expenditures from the library funds were checked with vouchers on file with the trustees.

The records of tax titles held by the town were examined and listed. The transfers to the tax title account were compared with the tax books and the reported redemptions were checked with the recorded receipts. The tax title transactions were further verified by comparison with the records in the Registry of Deeds.

The deductions from employee's salaries and wages on account of federal taxes were listed and checked with returns made to the Collector of Internal Revenue.

The books and accounts of the tax collector were examined and checked. The taxes and motor vehicle and trailer excise outstanding at the time of the previous examination and all subsequent commitments were audited and compared with the assessors' warrants issued for their collection. The payments to the treasurer were verified, the abatements were compared with the assessors' records of abatements granted, the transfers to the tax title account were proved, and the outstanding accounts were listed and reconciled with the controlling accounts in the general ledger.

The records of departmental and water accounts receivable were examined and checked. The charges were proved, the payments to the treasurer were verified, the abatements were checked with the records in the departments author-

ized to grant them, and the outstanding accounts were listed and reconciled with the respective controlling accounts in the general ledger.

The outstanding tax, excise, departmental, and water accounts were verified by mailing notices to a number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the town, and from the replies received it appears that the accounts, as listed, are correct.

The records of receipts from licenses issued by the selectmen, the town clerk, the police and fire departments, and the board of health were examined and checked in detail and the payments to the State and to the town treasurer were verified.

The surety bonds of the various town officials required to file them for the faithful performance of their duties were examined and found to be in proper form.

The records of receipts of the sealer of weights and measures and of the school, library, park and recreation departments, as well as of all other departments collecting money for the town or committing bills for collection, were examined and checked in detail, the payments to the treasurer being checked with the treasurer's cash book.

In addition to the balance sheet, there are appended to this report tables showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's and collector's cash, summaries of the tax, motor vehicle and trailer excise, tax title, departmental and water accounts, as well as tables showing the condition and transactions of the trust, investment and retirement funds.

During the progress of the audit cooperation was extended by the various town officials, for which, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, I wish to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN B. DINE

Assistant Director of Accounts

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TOWN OF FALMOUTH

Balance sheet—July 8, 1950

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets		Liabilities and Reserves	
Cash:		Temporary Loans:	
General	\$128,202.59	In Anticipation of Revenue	\$8,000.00
Water	22,993.44	Federal Withholding Taxes	521.10
		State Assessments 1950	11,259.60
Petty Advances:		County Tax 1950	124,179.65
Public Welfare	\$10.00	Tax Title Receipts Reserved Under	
Old Age Assistance	10.00	Section 79, Chapter 60, General Laws	355.28
School	10.00	Tailings	360.44
Library	10.00	Sale of Real Estate Fund	5,033.74
Water	20.00	Reserve for Petty Cash Advances	60.00
	60.00	Trust and Investment Funds Income:	
Accounts Receivable:		Lawrence High School Fund	\$206.66
Taxes:		James R. Jewett Scholarship Fund	125.00
Levy of 1948:		Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	3,096.96
Real Estate	\$3,625.49	Post-War Rehabilitation Fund	12,915.16
Levy of 1949:			
Personal Property	915.20		
Real Estate	37,653.68		
Levy of 1950:		Proceeds of Dog Licenses—	16,343.78
Poll	1,726.00	Due County	115.60
	43,920.37		

Motor Vehicle And Trailer Excise:		Federal Advance for School Plans	
Levy of 1949	\$305.51		33.13
Levy of 1950	4,702.85		
Tax Titles			
Tax Possessions	5,008.36	Aid to Dependent Children:	
		Administration Aid	\$1,366.17 3,359.60
		Old Age Assistance:	
Departmental:		Administration Assistance	534.12 4,174.52
Ambulance	\$1,627.61		9,434.41
Health	3,403.59		
Aid to Dependent Children	12,859.63	Loans Authorized and Unissued	1,327,500.00
Old Age Assistance:		Unexpended Appropriation Balances	962,332.69
Cities and Towns	453.71	Reserve Fund—Overlay Surplus	27,883.22
State	13,210.25	Overlays Reserved for Abatement of Taxes:	
Veterans' Benefits	752.75	Levy of 1950	25,113.09
School	2,684.16		
Aid to Highways:			
State	\$10,000.00	Revenue Reserved Until Collected:	
County	5,000.00	Motor Vehicle and Trailer	
		Excise	\$5,008.36
		Tax Title	5,273.09
		Tax Possession	2,083.09
		Departmental	34,991.70
		Aid to Highways	15,000.00
		Water	23,876.76
Water:			
Rates and Charges	\$23,680.56		
Liens Added to Taxes 1948	196.20		
			86,233.00

General Accounts—Continued

Loans Authorized:		Surplus Revenue:	
School Water	\$1,300,000.00	General	\$243,184.75
	27,500.00	Water	5.76
	1,327,500.00		243,190.51
Overlay Deficits:			
Levy of 1948	\$31.42		
Levy of 1949	108.00		
	139.42		
Revenue of 1949:			
Real Estate and Personal			
Property Taxes to be			
Committed	1,005,860.92		
Estimated Receipts to be			
Collected	233,039.50		
	<u>\$2,847,949.24</u>		<u>\$2,847,949.24</u>
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DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt	\$259,100.00	Fire Station Loan	\$21,500.00
		Sewer Loan	154,000.00
		Water Loans	83,600.00
	<u>\$259,100.00</u>		<u>\$259,100.00</u>
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TRUST AND INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS

Trust and Investment Funds

Cash and Securities:
In Custody of:
Trustees
Town Treasurer

Esther Elizabeth Beebe
Library Fund \$9,228.03
Esther Elizabeth Beebe
Library Fund Income 1,132.58
Edward Pierson Beebe
Library Fund 8,218.36
Joseph Jefferson Holland
Memorial Library Fund 422.35

\$19,001.32

Lawrence High School Fund \$11,888.70
James R. Jewett Scholarship
Fund 5,262.19
Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund 65,826.26

82,977.15

\$101,978.47
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\$101,978.47
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MUNICIPAL CONTRIBUTORY RETIREMENT ACCOUNTS

Municipal Contributory Retirement
Funds, Cash and Securities

Annuity Savings Fund
Annuity Reserve Fund
Pension Fund
Military Service Fund
Expense Fund
Undistributed Income

\$75,074.97

\$75,074.97
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\$44,467.49
1,770.18
26,844.45
668.70
414.40
909.75

\$75,074.97
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1950 Appointments by the Selectmen

Surveyor of Wood

Willis V. Snow

Care of Cemeteries

Albert E. Landers

Fence Viewer

W. W. Gifford

Public Weighers

Edward Picanso

Harold Hammond

Ralph W. Landers

Lena F. Romiza

William Murphy

Howard F. Ellis

Helen L. Landers

A. G. Tarantino

Baseball Committee

Bernard Rogers

John De Mello Jr.

Joseph K. Corey

Joseph F. Ferreira

John Pena

Report of the Board of Selectmen

The usual state audit was held in July and the books of the Town have been found to be in their usual good condition.

The Selectmen have laid out and the town has accepted the following roads:—Spring Bar Road; Bay View Ave.; Sumner Street; Hilton Ave.; Bay Street; Curtis Street, Falmouth; F. R. Lillie Road; Morgan Road; J. Jacques Loeb Road; Harbor Hill Road; Johnson Road and Holland Street.

There were no land damages on these roads with the exception of Harbor Hill Road, on which a damage of \$300.00 was paid to Charles E. L. Gifford.

All street lights voted by the town have been installed. The Selectmen have installed many road bounds and recommend the office of a Town Engineer as a full time position.

The suit of James Connolly against the town is still pending. We also have a suit by William J. McCann for beach taking. Other suits or claims against the town will be shown in the Town Counsel's report.

We have partially settled the beach taking of Peters and Morrison by taking the beach alone for \$8,000.00. We recommend further action by articles in the town meeting.

The Highway Surveyor has presented plans for a rotary at Falmouth Heights corner, that have the approval of the Board of Selectmen. We expect he will start work at the first opportunity. The Board of Selectmen also approve an article to be inserted at the town meeting recommending an exit road to Hamlin Ave. to relieve the summer conjection on Main Street.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM E. ENGLISH

CHARLES R. STOWERS

J. EDWARD NICKERSON

Selectmen of Falmouth

Report of the Finance Committee

To the Voters of the Town of Falmouth:

The Finance Committee respectfully submits its annual report for the year 1950. During this year there have been 28 meetings. The following is a list of the transfers made from the Reserve Fund:

Total Reserve Fund	\$15,000.00
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Transfers—

Selectmen	\$143.80
Tree Warden	355.20
Community Center	1,857.23
Traffic Lights	29.00
Building Commissioner	815.07
Harbor Master	348.00
Police	858.50
Assessor	150.00
Police Pensions	1,126.50
Fire Insurance	92.69
Fire Department	544.62
Beach Commission	1,732.50
Town Accountant	50.00
Tax Collector	290.16

Highway Department	2,000.00
Veterans Benefits	2,000.00
Civilian Defense	707.50
Dog Officer	292.50
Balance	1,606.73

\$15,000.00

The following is a list of expenditures from the Finance Committee Fund:

Finance Committee Fund	\$1,000.00
Printing	\$191.10
Advertising	423.00
Clerical Work	156.00
Supplies	1.80
Checkers	40.00
Assoc. of Town Finance Comm.	10.00
Balance	178.10

\$1,000.00

The Finance Committee is a committee of 15 men elected by the Town and acting solely in the interest of the Town. In addition to devoting long hours to its own meeting, its sub-committees spend considerable time meeting with various department heads on proposed budgets. Every attempt is made to give every proponent or opponent of an article in the Warrant a chance to be heard. It is realized that it would be physically impossible for a Town Meeting to spend this time. So your Finance Committee is an attempt by a repre-

sentative, unbiased group to study both the budgets of the various departments in the Town and the many other articles in the Warrant, and arrive at conclusions that are fair to both what the articles request, and what the Town should have and can afford.

For these reasons it is well that Town Meeting members follow closely the recommendations of the Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM G. MacDOUGALL, Chm.

ROBERT C. NEAL, Vice-Chm.

JOHN R. HUGHES, Secretary

Finance Committee

Other Members of the Committee

William D. Buck

Lawrence M. Burdo

Horace S. Estey

John H. Howe

Frank M. MacNaught

Paul Murray

N. A. Peterson Jr.

Alfred C. Redfield

Bruno Tassinari

Manuel R. Tavares

Milton E. Williamson

Samuel H. Wright

Report of the Tree Warden

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

The Tent Caterpillar webs and Fall Web worms were not cut this year but were sprayed. The Elm trees were sprayed six times with DDT concentration for the prevention of the Dutch Elm Disease. About 875 trees of the town have been trimmed for the prevention of the Dutch Elm Disease. Over 100 new trees have been planted and fertilized. The usual tree trimming has been carried on as well as possible. Home owners are again urged more than ever to plant trees on their property, not only for shade and beauty but for property value.

In 1950 twenty-three brown tail nests were collected during the winter months. They were cut and burned.

The State Department of Conservation urges us more than ever not to pile the elm wood in the open unless it has been peeled. Spray all elms to control leaf eating insects, such as browntail moth, gypsy moth, hag moth, tent caterpillar, fall web and elm leaf beetle, to keep elms, in healthy growing condition.

Please notify your Tree Warden immediately when you notice any of the symptoms. Beware of irresponsible men calling themselves "experts" who condemn your trees. Remember only a laboratory test can determine whether your elms are diseased.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTONE B. COUTO JR.

Tree Warden

Report of the Moth Superintendent

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

Spraying for the elm leaf beetle was taken care of as much as possible. One sprayer is in good condition but the other has been condemned for use. Therefore, I am asking \$2400. to purchase a new 400 gallon tank sprayer in an article at the annual town meeting.

I am asking for \$2000. to prevent Dutch Elm Disease from getting a foothold here in this town by pruning out the dead wood from the elms. I am also asking for \$2500. for spraying elms with DDT for the prevention of Dutch Elm Disease, also \$1250. for woodtick control. Some experimenting was done for woodtick control in 1950 with very good success.

The entire town has been sprayed by hydraulic sprayers. By spraying before the foliage appears, young caterpillars are killed by coming in contact with DDT residue on branches and twigs.

With Dutch Elm Disease at our back door, as close as Bridgewater, owners of elms should contact the Moth Superintendent or some responsible person to have their elms trimmed and sprayed with DDT concentration to help control the elm bark beetle carrier which spreads this awful disease.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTONE B. COUTO JR.

Moth Superintendent

Report of the Shellfish Warden

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit for your approval my annual report of the Shellfish Warden for the year ending December 31, 1950.

Total miles covered on patrol	14,206
Total number interviewed on shore	1302
Total number of Quahaugs returned to shore (bushels)	106
Complaints investigated	86

472 bushels of Quahaugs were taken from Woods Hole (Eel Pond) and Falmouth Harbor and reseeded in various parts of the Town. All now are opened after being inspected and found fit for food consumption with the exception of the West Side of West Falmouth Harbor.

In conclusion I wish to thank the Board of Selectmen for their help and cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

LEWIS R. STUDLEY

Shellfish Warden

Report of the Wire Inspector

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

The Inspector of Wires herewith submits his report for the year ending December 31, 1950.

Total permits granted	803
Number of inspection calls necessitated by the above	2459
Investigations and contact with property owners	175

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH A. ROBBINS

Inspector of Wires

Plumbing Inspector's Report

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my report as Plumbing Inspector for the year 1950.

Number of permits issued	464
Number of Inspections	1082
Consultation visits	37

During the year I have received \$928.00 in fees which I have paid to the Town Treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,

MILTON R. C. MacWHINNIE

Plumbing Inspector

Report of the Harbor Master

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit for your approval the Harbor Master's Annual Report for the year ending December 31, 1950.

Had channel buoys repaired, painted and placed in the harbors.

Had reflectors placed on jettys at Waquoit.

Extra buoys were placed at Eel Pond channel, Menauhant, also at West Falmouth.

The dredging at Quissett Harbor bulk head was completed and the work was done by Turner and Breivogel, who did a good job. At this time I also had them dredge the channel from Eel Pond to Great Harbor as it got so shallow boats were scraping going out and in.

I had lights placed on the Town Dock at Great Harbor and gave location for a number of moorings.

Investigated complaints of speed boats and boats blocking the docks. I have warned captains of boats not to dump oil in the harbors.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES R. GRINNELL,
Harbor Master

Jury List – 1950-1951

Victor Friar, Insurance Broker	Falmouth
Leslie Youngs, Janitor	Falmouth Heights
Manuel R. Soares, Restaurant Owner	East Falmouth
Manuel Raposa, Foreman	East Falmouth
Richard P. DeMello, Clerk	Teaticket
Ernest Upton, Salesman	North Falmouth
Joseph Hodgkins, Retired	Waquoit
Manuel Corey, Jr., Laborer	Fresh Pond, Waquoit
George Soares, Carpenter	Teaticket
Chester Lawrence, Retired	Falmouth
Frank Malley, Retired	Falmouth
John Tracey, Retired	Falmouth
Albert E. Landers, Merchant	North Falmouth
Harris R. Johnson, Carpenter	Falmouth
Forrest Johnson, Salesman	Falmouth
Carl B. Stowers, Retired	Falmouth
Everett Noyes, Retired	North Falmouth
Frank J. Brainerd, Retired	North Falmouth
Dean Frazier, Manager	North Falmouth
Hugh Duglay, Minister	Falmouth
Angelo Pacheco, Laborer	East Falmouth
Francisco Coelho, Retired	Teaticket

Report of the Planning Board

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

Following is the report of the Planning Board for the year 1950:

Committee Meetings:

Regular meetings of the Planning Board were held the first Tuesday of each month together with such special meetings as were necessary to accomplish the business that came before the Board.

Activities:

Hearings were held for subdivision permits as well as numerous consultations with Mr. Sidney N. Shurcliff in connection with the preparation of his survey and report for the development of Falmouth. Two open meetings were held for the purpose of acquainting the townspeople with the progress of the Survey Report, one of which was called during the summer months so that the summer residents would have an opportunity to express their opinions regarding Mr. Shurcliff's proposals.

The Board had hoped to present the completed Survey Report being prepared by Mr. Shurcliff before the Annual Town Meeting but because of its wide scope and the numerous additional items that the Board wished Mr. Shurcliff to

consider it was impossible to complete the report in sufficient time to have it published before Town Meeting. Barring unforeseen delays the Board expects to have the report published soon after Town Meeting. Numerous articles which supplement the Report have been printed in the Falmouth Enterprise each week to acquaint the Townspeople with its scope.

Regulations for the control of subdivision were approved by the board and were printed in book form so as to be available to anyone wishing a copy.

Members of the Board attended a joint meeting of the Planning Boards of the Cape at which meeting valuable information in the interpretation of the law for subdivision control was acquired from Mr. Philip G. Nichols, noted State Planner. Members of the Board also attended a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce at which time the advisability and limitations of Building Codes was thoroughly discussed by John Murphy, member of the Bureau of Standards and leading authority on Building Codes.

Expenditures during the year were divided into two groups: those pertaining to the Survey Report for which the Town authorized an expenditure of \$15,000. and those expenses normally incurred by the Board. Following is an itemized account of all expenditures:

Survey Report

Paid Sidney N. Shurcliff	\$8,332.40
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Planning Board Budget

Typing and Stenography	\$74.77
Printing and Advertising	214.66
Office Expenses	78.00
Dues	12.50

Aerial Survey	600.00
All Others	8.41
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Total	\$988.34

Recommendations:

It is recommended that with the completion of the Survey Report the Town adopt at least one major project each year for the improvement of Falmouth. With such a program the Board believes that much can be accomplished without burdening the Townspeople with excess taxes. It is further recommended that a fund of \$3,000. be set up for the development of such plans as are necessary to execute these improvements and other minor projects that the Board may deem advisable. These funds if not used would naturally revert to the Town Treasury at the end of the year.

Conclusion:

The Board appreciates the cooperation it has received from the people of the Town and from other Town officials during the year. The members of the Board welcome suggestions at any time from the Townspeople and urge them to take an active interest in the improvement of the Town.

Respectfully submitted,

ELMER GIFFORD

JOHN DeMELLO

WILLIAM M. GIFFORD

GEORGE H. BIGELOW, Chm.

SIDNEY W. LAWRENCE

ROBERT W. GRIFFIN

WILLIAM W. PETERS

Falmouth Planning Board

Report of the Veterans' Advisory Committee

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

The Veterans' Advisory Committee, Roy A. Berg, Chairman, herewith submits its report for the year 1950.

The committee has met throughout the year to advise and review the work of the Agent and to interview Veterans coming before it for information and assistance. The most pertinent problems concerning the Veterans was due to the lack of a V. A. Contact Officer in Falmouth. No V. A. Representative is available to Falmouth Veterans except for two days a month at Hyannis. The Committee was however able to give a great deal of help to Falmouth Veterans especially those under the G.I. Bill Training Division.

The Committee has undertaken to keep a record of the Veterans called back into active service, those inducted into the Armed Services and Enlistees.

The Committee was able to render assistance to several Veterans families who came under the newly created War Allowance Act Program.

Photostat copies of discharges are still being made and filed as they are brought in.

Due to the diversified employment of the committee members any Veteran or Veteran's family can be assured of having their particular problems directed into the proper channels.

Respectfully submitted,

ROY A. BERG, Chairman

Marion Bennett, Clerk

Frank Worcester

Rev. Leslie Wallace

Russell Marshall

Rev. Fr. John Kelley

Roland Choate

Rev. Fr. E. Bettencourt Avilla

Joseph Motta

Dr. Joseph Denton

Ralph I. Maloon

Veterans' Advisory Committee.

Report of the Sealer of Weights and Measures

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report as Sealer of Weights and Measures for the year ending December 31, 1950.

Work on Scales, Weights, Measures and Meters:

Sealed	842
Adjusted	11
Not Sealed	47

Scales and Weights:

Sealed	603
Adjusted	4
Not Sealed	17
Condemned	1

Gasolene Pumps, Meter System:

Sealed	131
Adjusted	7
Not Sealed	2

Tank Trucks, Meter System:

Sealed	16
Condemned	1

Bulk Stations:

Sealed	2
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Grease Meter System:

Sealed	2
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Kerosene, Oil and Grease:

Sealed	41
Not Sealed	20

Yard Sticks:

Sealed	29
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The Department made many inspections in stores and reweighed many commodities. Also inspected peddlers' licenses and weighed coal in transit.

Three Transient Venders paid for licenses. The others paid a tax to the town on their stock in trade.

Amount paid to the Town Treasurer as follows:

Scales and Pumps	\$453.65
Transient Venders	150.00
Peddlers' Licenses	15.00
County Licenses	36.00
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	\$654.65

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIS V. SNOW

Sealer of Weights and Measures.

Report of the Baseball Committee

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The Baseball Committee herewith submits its report for the year 1950. The appropriation administered by this committee is used to meet the expenses of the Cape Cod League team, the Falmouth Twi-League, and the Softball League.

The amount appropriated for 1950 was \$2,000.00 which was expended as follows:

Equipment	\$1,474.90
Umpires	488.00
Medical	15.00
Laundry	11.75
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Total	\$1,989.65
Balance	10.35

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN DeMELLO JR., Chm.
JOSEPH K. COREY, Sec.-Treas.
BERNARD F. ROGERS

JOSEPH FERREIRA
ERNEST UPTON
Baseball Committee.

Report of the Highway Surveyor

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my report of work done on highways for the year 1950.

The usual amount of patching and maintenance work has been completed to keep the roads in good condition. This work is necessary every year. The gravel roads have been scraped and graded several times during the year and are now in good condition.

Brush has been cut and mowed in different sections of the town during the spring and fall.

The Chapter 90 New Construction program of 1950 has been completed on Mill Road, Hatchville, with the construction of 14,800 feet of road under the supervision of the Highway Surveyor. This work was done with town labor and equipment. Mill Road was a gravel road before work was started; now it is an asphalt road that will withstand more wear. Previously, money had been spent on it every year for repairs, but in its present condition, it will prove to be a great saving to the town. The money for this work was appropriated by the state, town and county. One-half by the state, one-fourth by the town, and one-fourth by the county.

The Chapter 90 Maintenance program for 1950 has also been completed. In 1943 the Federal Government built the road below North Falmouth, running east to the Mashpee

line (now called Route 151). After the penetration was done, small pockets (holes) developed in the road, causing water and frost to get in between the stone and the road bed. One of the chief features of a good road is to have an impervious seal against the weather to prevent water from seeping into the road and causing damage.

Over a period of the past few years, a method of sealing against the weather has been provided. This method is called "armor-coating" and is done by applying a coating of heavy asphalt to the surface of the road and then rolling fine stone, embedding it into the road with a 10-ton roller. The asphalt provides a seal against the weather, and the stone provides protection against the wear of traffic.

In 1950, on Route 151, 25,762 feet of road was completed in this manner.

The reason for using trap rock is that this is the only stone which will support the roller without crushing the stone. If an inferior stone is used and crushes under pressure of the roller, the purpose of the method is defeated, because pulverized stone does not provide an adequate surface for the road.

This work on Route 151 was done with town labor and equipment, under the supervision of the Highway Surveyor. The state appropriated one-third of the cost of the work, the town one-third and the county one-third of the cost.

The following roads have been widened, hardened and straightened by the department in 1950:

Cypress Street, Maravista—700 feet

Housing Authority Roads (Amvets' Ave.)—2200 feet

Teaticket Path—3168 feet

Hillside Avenue, Silver Beach—1334 feet

Standish Avenue, Sippewissett—1600 feet

Sumner Street, Woods Hole—800 feet

Ardmore Street, Maravista—700 feet

Moonakis Road—2600 feet

New sidewalks were constructed as follows:

Minot Street—700 feet

Robinson Road—700 feet

Oyster Pond and Fells Roads—1000 feet

Route 28, West Falmouth—850 feet

Drains have been cleaned and repaired wherever necessary and new drains have been installed on the following roads:

Pine Street, North Falmouth

Scranton Avenue

Moreland Road

Jericho Path

Lakeview Avenue

Jones Road

Street signs have been erected in various sections of the town and others have been painted and re-lettered. This work is continued every year.

Traffic signs have been erected wherever specified by the Selectmen and the Chief of Police, the work being done by the Highway Department.

Wooden and cement guard post railings in various sections of the town have been painted and repaired and are in good condition. New railings have also been constructed wherever necessary.

The following bridges have been painted:

Eel Pond Bridge, Woods Hole

Chappaquoit Island Bridge, West Falmouth

Old Silver Beach Bridge, North Falmouth

Bridge (overhead) Route 151, North Falmouth

Great Pond Bridge, Maravista

Bourne Pond Bridge, Menauhant

Meadow Neck Bridge, Waquoit

I consider this work absolutely necessary and should be done every two years. If this is done, our repair costs will be less because we will be preventing the salt from penetrating into the steel of the bridges and causing considerable damage.

A new front loader was purchased by the department, and has proved to be a great saving to the town. It was used on all New Construction work this year.

The Repair Shop at the Highway Shed is in excellent condition after the work done on it in 1949. We are now able to store all of the department's heavy equipment and to repair it properly. All equipment is in fair condition.

In conclusion I would like to express my appreciation to the heads of the departments, to the committees I have served on, and to my entire personnel for the splendid cooperation I have received during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

NATHAN S. ELLIS, JR.
Highway Surveyor.

Report of the Aviation Committee

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

The Aviation Committee at its meetings during the year 1950 considered the advisability of the Town leasing the Coonamessett Airport as a Municipal Airport and also as a flight terminal and felt for the best interest of the Town it should not be done. The Committee also considered the care, leasing and improving the present Municipal Airport and felt it should continue the lease arrangement for the Town with Marvin Odom of Falmouth Airport of his Airport facilities at Teaticket, Mass., until February 1, 1951, at the same price of \$75.00 per month.

The Committee had available funds from the 1950 appropriation to have a roof on one of the Main Street Stores Air Marked to identify the town and show the direction from the air to the Municipal Airport. The Air Marking cost was to be about \$200.00. By investigating the Committee found they could have this work done by and under the direction of the Massachusetts Aeronautics Commission which would relieve the town of any Liability as well as save the Town at least \$200.00.

The Air Marking has been done in a satisfactory way to the State, the Town and Airmen.

The unexpended balance as of February 1, 1951, will be \$605.79 after all bills including Liability Insurance bill of \$74.75 are paid to that date. The Committee is asking for an appropriation of \$800.00 to pay Airport rent, insurance, rolling the runway and other expenses for the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles L. Swift, Chairman

Morris P. Frost

Marvin Odom

Frederick V. Lawrence

Arnold Burrough

Robert W. Draper

Report of the Dog Officer

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my annual report as Dog Officer for the year 1950.

During the past year I have picked up sixty-five stray dogs, plus fourteen wild dogs and five puppies.

I have disposed of one hundred and two dogs.

I have answered three hundred and twenty-four complaints.

I have traveled approximately seven thousand and twenty-five miles.

Respectfully submitted,

Harold C. Randall

Dog Officer

Report of the Beach Committee

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

The following is the report of the Beach Committee for the year 1950.

1. Your Beach Committee started operating March 1st having no experience in operation of public beaches or restrictions.

2. Restrictions were set which after a year's experience require no change except for "Rules and Regulations" which were requested and approved by the Town at the Special Town Meeting held Dec. 5, 1950.

3. The Bath house has been painted inside and out and all equipment repaired and painted.

4. The beaches were opened June 24 with 10 life-guards on duty. The Matron, Mrs. Blossom, at the Bath house went on duty July 1st. The beaches were well patronized. The number of people using same was estimated 228,000. The life guards reported 18 rescues which without them would have resulted in probable drowning. Many minor cases of assistance were rendered. The beaches were closed Labor Day night.

5. Vandalism, Breakage, Theft etc., amounted to over \$350.00. This vandalism was beyond the control of the Police Dept. and your Beach Committee as it occurs mostly at night and at many places.

6. All equipment has been repaired and painted for 1951 and stored in the Bath house.

7. The Committee could not have operated as efficiently as it did without the whole hearted cooperation of the Police Dept. Chief Baker acceded to our every request. Sgt. Mogardo who handled the operations and was most cooperative and the regular Police Officers as well as the summer police who worked without any friction. We thank them all as well as the other Town officials who willingly gave their time and assistance to make restriction and operation successful.

8. We had nearly 100% voluntary cooperation from Falmouth people for which we are deeply grateful and without which the degree of success obtained would have been impossible. We hope 1951 will show a greater success.

Respectfully submitted,

Clarence M. Cobb, Chm.

John A. Worthington, Sec.

Charles Botelho

Falmouth Beach Committee

Report of the Board of Health

The following is the number of contagious diseases reported and acted upon by the Board of Health during the year 1950.

Anterior Poliomyelitis	1
Chicken Pox	24
German Measles	7
Measles	9
Mumps	5
Scarlet Fever	3
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	5
Dog Bites	51
All Other	9
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Total	114

Licenses Issued for 1950

Wood Alcohol	24 @ \$1.00	\$24.00
Oleomargarine	22 @ .50	11.00
Pasteurization	1 @ 10.00	10.00
Massage	1 @ 2.00	2.00
Milk	91 @ .50	45.50

Garbage	4 @	2.00	8.00
Recreational Camps	4 @	.50	2.00
Nursery School	3 @	1.00	3.00
Total			\$105.50

Permits Issued for 1950

Funeral Directors	4
Burial Permits	52
Cleaning Vaults and Cesspools	6
Pigs	10
Trucking Rubbish	6
Cesspool Locations	242

Board of Health Nurses

Health Supervision visits	2064
Antepartum visits	69
Visits to Crippled Children	15
Tuberculosis	45

Clinic Record

Attendance at Well Child Clinics	186
Attendance at Dental Clinics	610
Transported to Tonsil Clinics	9
Transported to Crippled Children's Clinics	5
Attendance at Crippled Children's Clinic held at the Health Center	22
Transported to Hospitals for X-rays	18
Attendance at Spring Round-up	93

T.B. Patch tested at Spring Round-up	93
Immunized against Diphtheria, Whooping Cough and Tetanus	83
Vaccinated against Small Pox	94
Boosters given at Immunization Clinics	14
Transported to Hospitals for Treatments	7

This department felt a great loss in the death of Dr. Harold O. Hunt on February 20, 1950. Dr. Hunt had been agent of the Board of Health since 1946. In March Dr. Joseph H. Denton was appointed to fill the vacancy.

The fall clinics for immunization against diphtheria, whooping cough and tetanus were held on September 27th, October 25th, November 22nd and December 20th, under the supervision of the Health Department, School Department and Falmouth Nursing Association. Eighty-three children were immunized. Smaller clinics have been held during the year of the Falmouth Nursing Association. The inoculations were given by Dr. Joseph H. Denton.

There have been 242 permits given for the location of cesspools. In places where there is no town water, a personal inspection is required.

A complete census of all live stock has been taken and barns inspected.

Licenses for recreational camps and overnight cabins have been granted and approved by the State Board of Health for sanitation.

All restaurants and stores have been inspected several times during the year and smears taken for bacteriological tests from glasses and utensils. Dr. Fred L. Moore, Ernest Eldredge and George Crocker of the Barnstable County Health Department were appointed special inspectors by the Board of Health, to assist in carrying out this part of the work.

Serums, vaccines and culture tubes are available at all times for the use of the physicians of the town.

The sewage system at Woods Hole is now in operation and all abutters are urged to connect as soon as possible. With this system in operation any disposal of waste of any kind into tidal waters is positively prohibited.

This department wishes to express its appreciation to the physicians of Falmouth, Dr. Harold W. Stevens, District Health officer for the State Department of Public Health, all County officials, Dr. Julius Kelley and his staff at the Barnstable County Sanatorium, the School Department, the Falmouth Nursing Association and all other agencies that have co-operated with us this year, for their assistance and support.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM E. ENGLISH, Chm.

CHARLES R. STOWERS

J. EDWARD NICKERSON

Board of Health.

JOSEPH H. DENTON, M.D.

Agent.

Report of Public Dumps

To the Citizens of the Town of Falmouth:

There were 19,186 loads of all kinds of refuse brought in to the Gifford Street dump in 1950, which is an increase of 3,296 over the previous year. It has been necessary to prohibit any more stumps or roots being brought in unless cut in short lengths, as the dump is filling up and the area will not allow it.

There were six permits issued for the transportation of rubbish through the streets of Falmouth, and four garbage licenses, beside the Town Contractor's for the collection of rubbish and garbage.

There has been a serious problem this year caused by people dumping along the roadsides. We call attention to a new State Law which has been posted in several places. "Any person who deposits garbage or rubbish of any kind upon or within twenty feet of any public road or street or upon private property is liable to a heavy fine and also loss of driving license and registration of car." Serious efforts are being made to search out all guilty persons and they will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law when apprehended.

Roadside dumps have been cleared on Red Brook Road, two on the West Falmouth road, south of Old Silver Beach,

and the old dump in East Falmouth which has been closed for several years, at a cost of \$252.75 to the town. We urge people to keep our roadsides clean.

The North Falmouth dump takes care of the rubbish in that part of the town. Garbage is prohibited in any dump except the Gifford Street dump.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM E. ENGLISH, Chm.

CHARLES R. STOWERS

J. EDWARD NICKERSON

Board of Health.

JOSEPH H. DENTON, M.D.

Agent.

Herring Rivers

Herring Rivers must be kept open to allow herring to enter the ponds to spawn during the season, in accordance with the state requirement. Also they must be kept open to allow an outlet to the sea to prevent water from backing up into cellars in certain areas. A public notice was advertised in February that between March 1st and June 15th herring cannot be taken on Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday of each week, in accordance with State Law, General Laws Chapter 130, Section 96 and 97 and amended by Chapter 598, Section 1, Acts of 1941.

It was necessary to have a crane clear the outlets at Fresh, Salt, Trunk and Little Pond Rivers on account of the southerly storms. Force pumps have also been used to open culverts when they became clogged with sand and seaweed.

In our 1951 budget we are asking for \$400.00 to rebuild the outlet to Trunk River which has been destroyed by storms.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM E. ENGLISH, Chm.

CHARLES R. STOWERS

J. EDWARD NICKERSON

Board of Health.

JOSEPH H. DENTON, M.D.

Agent.

Report of the North Falmouth Fire Station Building Committee

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

The North Falmouth Fire Station Building Committee, appointed at the annual town meeting in February, herewith submits its report.

A meeting was called early in March at which John E. Overy was appointed chairman and Roger Noyes secretary.

A joint conference with the Board of Engineers and Chief Wells was held the following week for necessary instructions about the lay out of land and building.

A plot plan was secured from the Town Surveyor, Mr. Charles White, showing regularity grade and contour plan of road and lot; then an architect Mr. William Hathon was chosen, who presented an elevated plan which the entire committee with Chief Wells, reviewed very carefully.

With some alterations, the plan and specifications were accepted unanimously, on April 23rd, 1950.

It was then thrown open for bids. Four contractors responded, and the contract for same was let on May 23rd, 1950, to a local man, Manuel Medeiros, the lowest bidder.

Building is of brick construction, two stories high, storing two pieces of modern equipment, adequate facilities for personnel, a large recreation room on the 2nd floor, making an attractive and necessary addition to our village.

On January 5th, 1951, it was opened for inspection, viewed by many townspeople and officials, and formally turned over to the Board of Fire Engineers.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN E. OVERY, Chairman

ROBERT NEAL

JOHN DeMELLO

JOHN HOWE

JOSEPH TOWERS JR.

ROGER F. NOYES, Secretary

Building Committee.

Report of the Tree Planting Committee

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

Following is a list of the trees, shrubs, and plants planted during the season of 1950.

Route 151 from North Falmouth to the East. 250 young white birches were planted in groups along this road in conspicuous places where they will show to advantage as they attain their growth. Birches were used because on this road the natural growth is the native pine and this offers a chance to demonstrate the effect of another tree color, this road could use a lot more deciduous trees in order to give contrast to the unbroken effect of the green pines.

Sandwich Road, north of the Coonamessett river 15 more Honey Locust were planted on the west side of the road to complete a line of these trees from the Eldredge House to the Coonamessett river. Eight more weeping willows were planted on the east side of the road below the East End Meeting House, this now makes a row of Weeping Willows with 16 trees and they have made a very satisfactory growth. These are all of the Niobe variety, which has a very gold stem and branches.

On the Davisville Road 50 more Norway maples were planted and we were in error in our 1949 report to say that the planting on this road was completed. It will take about

75 more trees to finish the planting and this will complete about four miles of trees, most of these have been planted on private land to avoid wires and to allow for widening the road in the future.

At the park in Falmouth Heights eight Honey Locusts were planted.

At the Teaticket School a border planting was made as a screen back of the new fence this was composed of nine large pines taken from the site of the new school, three Hawthornes, 3 Dogwoods, 1 Maple and 5 Lindens.

All of the trees and plants set during the year were mulched with manure the past fall.

The United States Department of Agriculture's report for the year 1949 is a large book entitled TREES. The book contains some 950 pages and is a very complete compilation of every phase of the tree question. Each chapter is written by an expert on the particular subject treated. A chapter on questions and answers at the beginning of the book is of special interest to one who does not want to read the whole book, while another chapter on Shade Trees for the North Eastern section of the U. S. describes the particular qualities of certain trees to each section, here one can learn of many new trees and their relation to our environment. There are chapters on Planting; Care of Trees, Soils and Climate; Uses of Trees; Fire Protection; The National Forests, and in fact almost anything that could be considered of value in relation to our Trees. The book is well illustrated and of much interest. Distribution of the book is by Congressmen and Senators, the supply is at present very low, but may be purchased at a nominal price from the Government. It is a book for the amateur, the scientist, the commercial man and in fact for every one interested in trees.

Plans for 1951 include more work on Route 151, the Davisville Road, planting azaleas at the workshop of the Water

Department, also a planting to demonstrate what may be done toward eliminating snow fences; your committee believes that certain kinds of hedges or mixed plantings, placed where snow piles up on the roads will act as snow catchers and eliminate the use of snow fences, there are several town owned places where this demonstration might be placed.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. L. H. HOWE, Chairman

HARRY V. LAWRENCE

NATHAN S. ELLIS JR.

ANTONE B. COUTO JR.

LEWIS LAWRENCE

CHARLES A. WHITE

WILFRID WHEELER

Tree Planting Committee.

Report of the Town Forest Committee

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

Your committee has continued to employ Mr. Roy Allen as Warden in the Town Forest and this arrangement has worked out well in that we now have the feeling that the forest is being well patrolled and also that Mr. Allen has been able with the help of some welfare labor to prune some ten acres of young trees, removing dead branches so that the trees may grow into better lumber, and this work has much improved the appearance of the forest. This pruning has been done according to the best recommended forest management. There are still many tracts planted from 10 to 15 years ago which need pruning in this way. The Welfare Department was able to furnish assistance in this work to the extent of 462 hours.

Some five miles of roads in the forest were cleared of brush and made passable for trucks and fire fighting equipment, in this connection we employed the Bartlett Tree Expert Co. to spray some roads with a chemical spray known as 2,4,5-T or Brushkiller. Apparently these chemical weed and brushkillers are the answer to keeping down weed tree and brush in roads and along travelled ways where the danger of fire is great. The Boston Herald of December 17, 1950, gave a very complete analysis of the results of this kind of spraying to control brush on power and utility line rights of way. It

would seem from this that while the present costs are high, they are not as high as those of hand labor, and with several sprayings the complete killing of the roots of brush plants has resulted.

Along Routes 28, Brick Kiln Road and Gifford Street the edges of the roads were cleaned as a preventive to fires.

Last year we reported losses through theft of young evergreens either on the spring for planting or at Christmas time for Christmas trees; this season by the employment of extra help especially at Christmas we are glad to report that these losses have been greatly reduced.

There has been very little insect damage in the forest this past season, apparently by the wholesale spraying of the Cape woodlands the Gypsy moth has been eliminated and to a certain extent several other leaf eating insects. We are still, however, troubled with the White Pine shoot moth and this insect is so bad that it would seem advisable to limit the planting of White Pines as a forest tree in this area.

There was an exceptional bloom on the many dogwood trees at the head of Long Pond but owing to the heavy growth of oak and maple about them it was necessary to go down under the trees in order to get the best effects.

During the recent very serious water shortage in Eastern New York your chairman visited several of the larger reservoirs used for holding water for the City of New York. Most of these reservoirs have been very well planted with forest trees right down to the water's edge, and it was very apparent that those reservoirs so planted were holding a larger volume of water than those places where there was no such planting, the evidence of the effect of tree planting on the watersheds was most convincing. It would seem as if Falmouth might have to do more in the near future in conserving its water supply for what with increasing use and our uncertain rainfall

the present supply at Long Pond is likely to be inadequate, and certainly more tree planting all over the watershed would help maintain a more equal water supply.

Practically no trees have been planted in the Town Forest for about ten years, and while the practice of caring for what we have may be all right, still we shall greatly miss this gap in our tree planting in the future.

Your committee recommends the appropriation of \$3,340. for 1951.

Respectfully submitted,

WILFRID WHEELER

A. B. COUTO JR.

DR. ALFRED REDFIELD

RAY D. WELLS

HARRY V. LAWRENCE

Town Forest Committee.

Report of the Park Commissioners

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

The Park Commissioners hereby submit their annual report for the year 1950.

The Commissioners wish to thank all other Town Departments who have contributed much needed services in order that the carrying out of the Park Departments overall duties could be most efficiently done.

The Commissioners feel that a great many of the Falmouth Citizens are not conversant with the size of their Park System. The Commissioners also feel that a listing of all Parks, Playgrounds and Ball Parks that come under the jurisdiction of the Park Department would be not only wise, but instructive. Citizens of a Town should without any doubt know for what purposes the money they pay in taxes is spent.

PARKS

Goodwill Park: Due to the acquisition by the Water Department of 500 feet of land in Goodwill Park bordering Long Pond as an addition to their Water Shed, it became necessary to not only move, but rebuild the original restrooms. Underbrush was cleaned out alongside a section of the road running through the Park. A thinning out of all types of trees in

order to assure proper growth for the remaining trees was commenced and will be continued. The section of Goodwill Park bordering on Route 28 was given an initial face lifting. A portion of the area was cleared and nine (9) tables and accompanying benches were built and placed throughout the area. Here a Clambake was held in August which was attended by approximately 175 people. Chairman Lewis, who spends his spare time in checking on this area's use by the public, estimates that approximately 2000 people availed themselves of the opportunity presented, by picnicking here during the summer. The Gifford Street entrance is being cleared and beautified.

Village Green Park: A complete fertilization program was commenced and will be carried out each year. A tree trimming program will be inaugurated in 1951. This will assure better growth and an extension of the life period of the trees.

Sailors' Memorial Park: During the year 1951 an extensive flower bed will be built around the Memorial. General maintenance and overall care was continued throughout the past year.

Katie Hatch's Park: General maintenance and overall care was continued throughout the year.

Crescent Park: General maintenance and overall care was continued throughout the year. A tree trimming program will be inaugurated here in 1951.

Chapel Park: Eight vigorous young maples were set out during the year. A tree trimming program will be inaugurated here in 1951. General maintenance and overall care was continued throughout the year.

Hewitt Park: A tree trimming program will be inaugurated here in 1951. General maintenance and overall care was continued throughout the year.

Worcester Park: General maintenance and overall care was continued throughout the year.

Shiverick's Pond Park: General maintenance and overall care was continued throughout the year. A tree trimming program will be inaugurated here in 1951.

Crown Park: General maintenance and overall care was continued throughout the year.

Allen Park: General maintenance and overall care was continued throughout the year.

Deacon's Avenue Park: General maintenance and overall care was continued throughout the year.

Upper Park: General maintenance and overall care was continued throughout the year.

Falmouth Heights Waterfront Park: General maintenance and overall care was continued throughout the year.

PLAYGROUNDS AND BALL PARKS

Woods Hole Playground and Ball Park: In addition to the general maintenance of the Playground and Ball Field a new backstop was built which gave adequate protection to the houses in back of home plate. The Tennis Courts were available for use to the Public from June 1st to Labor Day. A caretaker has been secured for the Tennis Courts, who is responsible for their constant availability.

Central Ball Park (Heights): In addition to the general maintenance of the field the base lines were completely rebuilt which added greatly to the field's usefulness.

Nye Playground and Ball Park: In addition to the general maintenance of the Ball Field and Playground the base lines were completely rebuilt which made for a much improved playing field. The Tennis Courts were available for use to

the public from June 1st to Labor Day. At some future time the Commissioners feel that additional land should be secured in order to move the left center field fence back, thus doing away with Pop Fly Home Runs.

East Falmouth Ball Park: In addition to the general maintenance of the field, the grove running parallel to Davisville Road was completely cleared and seeded. The adjacent section will be completed in 1951.

Fonseca Memorial Ball Park: In addition to general maintenance and overall care a new drinking fountain was installed. This addition was indeed welcome, because of its great need. In the immediate future, the Commissioners feel that additional land should be acquired in order that the very short outfield may be properly lengthened.

NEW PLAYGROUND PARK

The land and tennis courts in the rear of the Old Community Center Building reaching to Siders Pond was acquired by the Park Department by a vote of the Special Town Meeting in December. The Tennis Courts will have to be completely resurfaced and the wire netting replaced where necessary. The adjoining field will be graded and an 18-inch embankment will be built around the entire field. This will allow for immediate flooding in cold weather thus making possible Safe Skating for children of all ages. This Field will also give a much needed play area, which boys and girls in this section of Falmouth have previously been without. No longer in the Fall will the cramped confines of the Village Green have to be transformed into a Football Field. Also Field Hockey for the girls will at long last be possible.

The Commissioners feel that as an expression of appreciation of 32 years of untiring service in the interest of Falmouth's Park and Playgrounds, that the above newly acquired Tennis Courts and Land be named the Ellis M. Lewis Park.

The fertilization program previously referred to will be carried out in connection with every Park, Playground and Ball Field.

The Department has cared for the grounds around and adjacent to the Town Infirmary during the past year.

In closing this report the Commissioners feel that the statement of a visitor to our Town should be made available to each and every Citizen of Falmouth. The statement was as follows: "I have not in my many years of travel, seen a finer system of Parks and Playgrounds in a town of this size, anywhere, east of the Mississippi."

Respectfully submitted,

ELLIS M. LEWIS, Chairman

MORTON P. FRANCIS

WILLARD E. BOYDEN, Sec.

Park Commissioners.

Report of the Collector of Taxes

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit for your approval my annual report as your Collector of Taxes, covering the period from January 1st, 1950, to December 31st, 1950.

1948 Personal and Real Estate Taxes

Outstanding January 1st, 1950		\$6,902.84
Interest		426.04
Fees		51.45
Paid E. M. Lawrence, Treas.	\$6,568.15	
Credit by Abatement	687.94	
Credit by Tax Title	124.24	
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	\$7,380.33	\$7,380.33

1948 Added Water Liens

Outstanding January 1st, 1950		\$211.94
Paid E. M. Lawrence, Treas.	\$211.94	
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	\$211.94	\$211.94

1949 Poll Tax

Outstanding January 1st, 1950		\$14.00
Interest		.15
Fees		.35
Paid E. M. Lawrence, Treas.	\$6.50	
Credit by Abatement	8.00	
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	\$14.50	\$14.50

1949 Personal and Real Estate Taxes

Outstanding January 1st, 1950		\$84,575.47
Interest		1,508.56
Fees		158.75
Paid E. M. Lawrence, Treas.	\$67,522.85	
Credit by Abatement	3,250.66	
Credit by Tax Title	146.16	
Outstanding January 1st, 1951	15,323.11	
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	\$86,242.78	\$86,242.78

1949 Motor Vehicle Excise Tax

Outstanding January 1st, 1950		\$2,532.03
January 1st, 1950 Commitment		9,172.73
January 27th, 1950, Commitment		960.70
Interest		39.84
Fees		91.00
Paid E. M. Lawrence, Treas.	\$11,122.53	
Credit by Abatement	1,673.77	
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	\$12,796.30	\$12,796.30

1949 Added Water Liens

Outstanding January 1st, 1950		\$118.89
Paid E. M. Lawrence, Treas.	\$118.89	
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	\$118.89	\$118.89

1950 Poll Tax

April 25th Commitment		\$5,476.00
August 4th Commitment		6.00
December 20th Commitment		2.00
Interest		12.30
Fees		86.80
Paid E. M. Lawrence, Treas.	\$4,605.10	
Credit by Abatement	908.00	
Outstanding January 1st, 1951	70.00	
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	\$5,583.10	\$5,583.10

1950 Personal and Real Estate Taxes

August 4th Commitment (Personal)		\$91,402.83
August 4th Commitment (Real Estate)		912,740.84
December 20th Commitment (Real Estate)		619.82
Interest		159.76
Fees		3.00
Paid E. M. Lawrence, Treas.	\$901,855.88	
Credit by Abatement	14,565.85	
Credit by Tax Taking	889.31	
Outstanding January 1st, 1951	87,615.21	
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	\$1,004,926.25	\$1,004,926.25

1950 Motor Vehicle Excise Tax

April 12th Commitment		\$7,410.86
May 17th Commitment		20,796.05
May 24th Commitment		5,379.32
August 31st Commitment		6,570.59
October 3rd Commitment		4,328.50
November 10th Commitment		17,885.00
December 18th Commitment		10,662.14
Interest		28.75
Fees		107.45
Paid E. M. Lawrence, Treas.	\$56,281.87	
Credit by Abatement	2,912.82	
Outstanding January 1st, 1951	13,973.97	
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	\$73,168.66	\$73,168.66

1950 Added Water Liens

August 4th Commitment		\$1,700.27
Paid E. M. Lawrence, Treas.	\$788.73	
Outstanding January 1st, 1951	911.54	
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	\$1,700.27	\$1,700.27

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. HASTAY

Collector of Taxes.

Report of the Chief of Police

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my seventeenth annual report as Chief of Police for the year ending December 31, 1950.

Total Arrests	392
AWOL (Army)	2
Committed to Institution	8
Summons	87
Capias	18
For Out of Town Police	4
Drunkeness	85
Assault and Battery	25
Non-Support (Minors)	5
Violation Illegitimate Child Act	6
Operating Under the Influence	24
Operating Without License	11
Operating to Endanger	31
Operating after Revocation of License	1
Operating after Suspension	3
Operating Without Insurance	4
Operating, No Registration	3
Non Support	9
Larceny Over \$100	3
Larceny Under \$100	4

Neglect of Minor Children	1
Failure to Slow (Intersection)	1
Misappropriation of Auto	3
Failing to Stop	3
Leaving the Scene	6
Attaching Plates	2
Allowing an improper person to operate a Motor Vehicle	1
Permitting an Unregistered Motor Vehicle to be Operated	1
Permitting an Uninsured Motor Vehicle to be Operated	1
Employing a Minor	1
Assault and Battery with intent to Rape	1
Willful and Malicious Destruction	4
Setting Up and Promoting a Lottery	2
Setting a Fire	1
Breaking and Entering (Daytime)	1
Breaking and Entering (Night time)	4
Setting a Fire Without Permit	2
Disturbing the Peace	4
Illegal Sale of Liquor	5
Keeping and Exposing for Sale (Liquor)	3
Adultery	2
Lewd and Lascivious Cohabitation	2
Lewd, Wanton and Lascivious Person	2
Falsely Swearing (Legal Documents)	1
Assault with Dangerous Weapon	1
Indecent Exposure	2
Destroying Personal Property	1
Statutory Rape	1
Aiding Statutory Rape	1
Total Accidents	275
Accidents causing Personal Injury	98
Fatal Accidents	0

Breaks	28
Complaints	1884
Houses Inspected	5929
Stores Inspected, Night Patrol	10,335
Auto Mileage	108,292
Doors Found Unlocked	147
Received from Revolver Permits	\$53.50
Fines Paid to the Town	\$606.00

It is with pride that I point out that Falmouth passed through the year of 1950 without a fatal accident within the town limits. Although there was approximately a twenty percent increase in the total accidents, including minor property damage accidents; the non-fatal driving record for the past year is one of which the citizens of Falmouth can be justly proud.

I should like to report that I have added photostat equipment to the photographic section of the Police Department. This section under Officer James W. Boyatt has been used very extensively during the past year by the police and other Town departments.

A fifty man auxiliary police force has been organized and all its necessary equipment has been received and will be issued in the near future. This emergency unit has been organized as a Civil Defense measure and will be trained by the members of the Police Department.

It has been necessary to make repairs to the Police Station during the past year, as the building was leaking badly. During this work it was discovered that repairs will have to be continued to avoid extensive and costly damage to the building.

All house and store inspection, patrols and traffic control work were extended in the past year with a 10,000 mile increase in total mileage on the police cars. The total number of arrests for crimes committed in Falmouth during the past year, increased over eighteen per cent, and was largely due to serious motor vehicle violations.

The Police Department lost two excellent officers in 1950 through retirement. Gardner Blossom and Reginald Bowman were retired in June and November and action has been taken to replace them by Civil Service examination.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD L. BAKER

Chief of Police.

Report of Recreation Building Committee

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

Following is the report of the Recreation Building Committee for the year of 1950:

Committee Meetings:

Regular meetings were held in the Recreation Building on the Second Monday of each month. Other meetings made necessary by unforeseen circumstances in the interest of operating the **Building** most advantageously were held in the Recreation Building.

Personnel:

The Committee in reporting to the Town is most happy to say that the persons regularly employed for the purpose of directing the **Falmouth Recreation Building and its Program** are still with us. Mr. Augustus T. Canty and Mrs. John Radcliffe have by their combined efforts carried out a program that has served more people than ever before, since the Town of Falmouth acquired the **Recreation Building** in 1950 with its manifold services. This is directly due to their efforts.

Finances:

The appropriations were sufficient to cover most of the items in last year's budget. The item concerning repairs

proved somewhat in excess of what originally had been anticipated, but that was taken care of by a few balances that appeared in other budgetary items. The floor in the main hall was refinished under a special item appropriated at last year's town meeting. Repairs to furniture were made when the need became evident.

The Town realized a revenue of \$1,411.46 from the use of the Building and its activities. The Committee feels that it should be fully understood that in the case of benefits the building is donated, Rental Free. Those organizations which use the building pay a rental fee to cover the heat, light and janitor's services.

A summary of the expenditures for the year 1950 compared with the amount appropriated by the Town is listed below:

Salaries and Wages:

	Budget Figures	Expenditures
Director	\$3,500.00	\$3,500.00
Assistant Director	2,080.00	2,080.00
Janitor	2,392.00	2,392.00
Substitute Director	134.62	134.60
Substitute Assistant Director	80.00	80.00
Substitute Janitor	92.00	92.00
Rental Expense	125.00	125.00
Skate Boy Expense	125.00	99.75

Additional Expense:

Refinish Floor	\$480.00	\$480.00
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All Others:

Office Equipment	\$125.62	\$107.03
Supplies	218.28	183.48
Fuel	1,492.50	1,496.48
Electricity and Gas	675.00	703.38

*Repairs	220.20	344.37
New Equipment	438.55	401.97
Parties, Prizes, Etc.	262.50	186.93
Travel	25.00	17.61
Water	.00	.67
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Total for 1950	\$12,466.27	\$12,425.27
Balance		41.00
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		\$12,466.27

*Includes Fire Insurance Adjustment.

Attendance:

Month	Days Operating (Aft. & Eve.)	Attendance
January	25	5086
February	22	5935
March	27	6729
April	24	5665
May	27	5233
June	26	4608
July	25	4548
August	27	4684
September	26	4295
October	26	8054
November	25	7633
December	25	6235
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Totals	305	68,705

During the year the policy has been continued of having specific age groups in the building at allotted times. All groups were thus given an opportunity for better and more adequate use of the facilities offered. It should also be noted that during the Months of June and July 616 boys participated in the League Games sponsored by the Recreation Building. During the year the total overall attendance shows an increase of 1,390 over the previous year.

The Organizations of Falmouth making use of the Recreation Building Facilities during 1950 were as follows:

Troop No. 43 BSA	Pinecrest Association
Marrow Dance Classes	Fal. Hts. Improvement Ass'n
Cape Cod Truck Ass'n	Town Football Team
Board of Registrars	Falcon Club
Outlook Club	Men's Forum
Howard Dance Classes	Brownies Card Party
Cub Pack Scouts No. 43	Den Mothers
Women's Republican Club	Precinct 3
County Extension Service	Falmouth Grange No. 399
4H Club	Cub Pack Mothers
Island Boat Authority	Student Council of LHS
Buzzards Bay Gas Co. Union	National Guard
Woods Hole Women's Club	Star Club
Planning Board	Fly by Night Club
Falmouth Cancer Committee	American Legion
Democratic Town Committee	Barber Shop Quartet
Girl Scout Leaders	Naval Reserve and Civilian
Visiting Football Teams	Defense
Broadcaster Club (JHS)	Junior Outlook Club
Neediest Family Benefit	St. Joseph's Church
Falmouth Mother's Club	Red Cross Blood Bank
Knights of Columbus	Camera Club
Ninth Grade (LHS)	Daughters of Isabella
Trysail Chorus	St. Patrick's Church

Town Baseball Committee	LHS Football Team
Town Softball League	Fal. Village Improvement
Senior Class (LHS)	Ass'n
Sophomore Class (LHS)	Volleyball League Committee
St. Thomas Guild	Boy Scout Parents
Falmouth Nurses Ass'n.	Court of Honor (BSA)

Use of Recreation Facilities for Service Personnel:

The Committee received a letter from the Board of Trade requesting that time be set aside for the Service Personnel. The Committee answered the Board of Trade by offering the Recreation Building and its facilities on Sundays for the **sole Use of the Service Personnel**. The Committee has noted that a feeling exists in Falmouth that more time should be allotted to the Service Personnel. The Recreation Committee has by letter requested a meeting with the Board of Trade Committee in order that a full and complete discussion can be had concerning an additional allocation of time for the Service Personnel. The Committee is willing at all times to cooperate in making possible the use of its facilities for the Service Personnel.

New Activity:

When the Main Hall floor was refinished it was set out for Volleyball, Badminton and Basketball. Basketball has not been heretofore an activity possible in the Recreation Building. Its need however has been great and it (basketball) will give an opportunity for participation to a group before not served. Two Intramural Leagues will be set up, for Teen Age Basketball. The first group will have an age range of 9 to 13, the second group will be from 14 to 19. The Committee feels that this new activity will be of inestimable value. Those who are participating in High School Basketball are ineligible to participate because this is distinctly for those who do not have an opportunity to play the game elsewhere.

Recommendations:

The Committee feels that the Falmouth Recreation Building is fulfilling the definite needs of the **Youth** of our Com-

munity. This however is not limited to youth alone because innumerable other and older groups use the Building Facilities constantly. The Main Hall serves as a Social Hall and as an Auditorium when needed. In view of the above facts the Committee is requesting the sum of \$12,358.46 for the ensuing year. In anticipation of the use on Sundays of the building by the Camp Edwards Personnel an additional sum of \$636.00 is being requested. The amount deemed necessary for the operation of the building is therefore \$12,994.46.

The Committee wishes to thank all who have in any way contributed to the successful operation of the Recreation Building. The Citizens of Falmouth by their support of the Recreation Building and its facilities are definitely removing and in fact preventing Juvenile Delinquency. The Committee is indeed sorry to have lost the services of Dr. Charles B. Regan, former chairman, and Mrs. Oliver P. Brown, committeewoman. Their services and work was of great value to the Recreation Setup.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLARD E. BOYDEN, Chm.

JOSEPH MOTTA, Secretary

JAMES McINNIS

MRS. CEDRIC HADLEY

JOSEPH B. MISKELL JR.

MRS. LEWIS S. McLANE

Recreation Building Committee.

Report of the Building Commissioner

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Town of Falmouth**

Gentlemen:

Following is a report of the Building Commissioner's office for the year ending December 31, 1950.

A total of 551 permits for construction estimated to cost \$3,323,206.00 were issued during the past year from this office.

Although the year's estimated total construction contains the \$1,360,366.00 estimated cost of the new High School, there were no blanket permits for housing developments as was shown in the 1949 report.

There has been built during the year 369 new dwellings at estimate cost of \$1,631,945.00, 32 private garages at \$18,900.00, 7 commercial buildings at \$44,600.00, 26 accessory buildings at \$11,180.00 and new High School at \$1,360,366.00, and Alterations at an estimated cost of \$256,215.00.

186 Hearings were held during the year before the Board of Selectmen and Board of Appeals for special permits and variances.

The following figures show in detail the volume of building during the year:

	No. of Permits	Estimated Cost
January:		
Dwellings	49	\$264,500.00
Private Garages	3	1,150.00
Accessory Buildings	2	350.00
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Total New Buildings	54	\$266,000.00
Alterations	2	2,700.00
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February:		
Dwellings	21	\$100,180.00
Accessory Buildings	4	1,625.00
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Total New Buildings	25	\$101,805.00
Alterations	2	2,500.00
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March:		
Dwellings	45	\$170,900.00
Aggremeter	1	5,000.00
Private Garages	2	700.00
Accessory Buildings	1	1,000.00
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Total New Buildings	49	\$177,600.00
Alterations	4	5,550.00
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April:		
Dwellings	28	\$118,965.00
Private Garages	2	2,000.00
Commercial Buildings	1	5,000.00
Accessory Buildings	1	1,500.00
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Total New Buildings	32	\$127,465.00
Alterations	16	62,300.00

	No. of Permits	Estimated Cost
May:		
Dwellings	35	\$165,000.00
Commercial Garages	1	3,000.00
Accessory Buildings	5	3,350.00
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Total New Buildings	41	\$171,350.00
Alterations	20	19,300.00

June:		
Dwellings	34	\$100,700.00
Private Garages	1	500.00
Accessory Buildings	3	1,035.00
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Total New Buildings	38	\$102,235.00
Alterations	12	6,950.00

July:		
Dwellings	25	85,050.00
Private Garages	2	900.00
Accessory Buildings	2	310.00
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Total New Buildings	29	\$86,260.00
Alterations	7	2,915.00

August:		
Dwellings	33	\$145,300.00
Private Garages	7	2,300.00
Accessory Buildings	3	600.00
Commercial Buildings	1	12,000.00
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Total New Buildings	44	\$160,200.00
Alterations	17	29,650.00

	No. of Permits	Estimated Cost
September:		
Dwellings	14	55,800.00
Commercial Buildings	2	17,500.00
Private Garages	3	4,000.00
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Total New Buildings	19	\$77,300.00
Alterations	12	95,500.00
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October:		
Dwellings	42	\$221,150.00
Commercial Buildings	1	2,100.00
Private Garages	4	2,600.00
Accessory Buildings	1	110.00
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Total New Buildings	48	\$225,960.00
Alterations	3	1,850.00
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November:		
Dwellings	22	\$100,400.00
Private Garages	7	4,350.00
Accessory Buildings	4	1,300.00
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Total New Buildings	33	\$106,050.00
Alterations	12	13,600.00
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December:		
Dwellings	21	\$104,400.00
High School	1	1,360,366.00
Private Garages	1	400.00
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Total New Buildings	23	\$1,465,166.00
Alterations	9	13,400.00

The following is a comparative table showing the permits and value since the Zoning Law went into effect in May 1926.

Year	No. Permits Including Alterations	Estimated Cost	Year	No. Permits Including Alterations	Estimated Cost
1926	322	\$1,151,949.00	1939	260	314,016.00
1927	351	1,048,905.00	1940	170	294,405.00
1928	300	790,695.00	1941	250	625,800.00
1929	270	781,910.00	1942	80	58,275.00
1930	284	868,675.00	1943	64	39,325.00
1931	212	559,175.00	1944	77	53,330.00
1932	153	210,237.00	1945	171	298,690.00
1933	147	164,955.00	1946	229	490,522.00
1934	119	153,857.00	1947	290	764,050.00
1935	145	263,834.00	1948	377	1,174,288.00
1936	219	303,750.00	1949	558	2,076,938.00
1937	306	363,341.00	1950	551	3,323,206.00
1938	247	\$260,552.00			

Details of the costs of the department will be found in the report of the Town Accountant.

In conclusion, I wish to thank the Board of Selectmen and the Board of Appeals for their help and cooperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD C. RANDALL

Building Commissioner.

Report of the Christmas Lighting Committee

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

The Christmas Lighting Committee held four meetings in the Spring of 1950. However, it was September before the final plan for lighting the Village Green was arrived at. We used all available material, purchasing only new bulbs and some heavy cable. It took considerable labor to tie all the short strings together. More than five pounds of tape were used to do this splicing.

We wish to thank the Park Department, Fire Department, the Highway Department and the Police Department for their fine cooperation. By their assistance, the cost of this project was materially lowered.

As the bills have not been received for this work at this time, we can give you only an estimated figure of the cost. We figure this to be about \$600.00. This would not have been possible if all new material had been bought.

For the future, the plan is to repeat the present display, adding one or two set pieces.

It is hoped that these sets may be built by local enthusiasts. Mr. Hoyt Savery has offered to make the figures for a Nativity scene.

Respectfully submitted,

GRANVILLE BEALE, Chm.

CHARLES E. MORRISON

NATHAN S. ELLIS JR.

Christmas Lighting Committee.

Report of Advertising Town Committee

FALMOUTH BOARD OF TRADE

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

The Information Booth at the Community Center Building was opened May 1, and the Secretary, Mrs. Gertrude Magnuson, was on duty from 9:00 until 5:00 Mondays through Saturdays, until September 15, on which date the Booth was closed for the season.

All mail received prior to May 1 was answered by Mrs. Gladys Fitzgerald; that received during the season was answered from the Information Booth office; and the mail subsequent to September 15 was answered by Mrs. Magnuson from her home. Each inquiry received a reply, and the brochure on Falmouth was enclosed, together with listings of hotels, guest homes, cottages, or real estate agents, depending upon the information requested. A great deal of detailed information was sent out covering boat, train and plane schedules, listings of eating places, amusement and vacation facilities, etc. Applications for employment were turned over to the local employment agency. From May 1 to December 31, letters and cards answered totaled 1,264.

The number of persons served at the Information Booth varied from ten to two hundred a day. Because of the amount of work, it was impossible to make a daily tally, but it is esti-

mated that about 4,000 visitors were served at the desk. Hotel and guest home accommodations were secured and thousands of pieces of printed matter were given out including: lists of hotels, guest homes, eating places, cottages and apartments; maps; boat, train, bus and plane schedules; theater billings; fishing data, places of historical interest. Also countless explanations were given regarding the beach restrictions, especially on those days when the Beach Committee's office was not open.

During the season, the phone was in constant use. Calls came in from various points in New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Rhode Island and Massachusetts for information and reservations.

When possible, definite reservations were made over the phone and the summer visitors sent to that place. However, many people preferred to have three or four names, or even a complete list, and then make their own selections after inspecting various accommodations. During busy weekends, it was sometimes necessary to make ten or twelve calls in order to locate a suitable vacancy.

Guest home listings were increased from 80 to 185, with 617 rooms, accommodating 1315 guests. Three hotels were added to the list.

Inquiries for summer homes and cottages were referred to all real estate agencies; those asking for hotel accommodations were referred to all hotels in the area.

The appropriation made to this committee was entirely expended on stationery, office supplies, mimeographing, postage, the advertising of Falmouth as a summer resort, phone, and the salary of the secretary.

Respectfully submitted,

GRANVILLE BEALE, Chm.

CHARLES E. MORRISON

WILLIAM W. PETERS

Advertising Committee.

Report of the Ambulance Committee

**To the Board of Selectmen
Town of Falmouth**

Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is the report of the Ambulance Committee.

During the past year the Ambulance Committee lost one of its most valuable and beloved members, Dr. Harold O. Hunt, who passed away on February 20, 1950.

The Ambulance Committee with Dr. T. A. Wiswall, Deputy Chief George G. Ferris and Chief Ray D. Wells met with the Board of Selectmen and Dr. Joseph H. Denton was appointed for the balance of the year to membership on the Committee to take Dr. Hunt's place.

The Ambulance made 225 trips covering 12,411 miles, using 1,187 gallons of gasoline and 48 quarts of oil. During the past year 194 Residents and 31 Non-Residents were transported. 9 patients were transported for Public Welfare, 27 for the Police Department, 11 Old Age Recipients and 1 Veteran's Relief. Making a total of \$535.00 to be charged to the Town and no fees collected.

Bills outstanding January 1, 1951	\$762.00
Total Receipts paid the Town for 1950	1,276.00
Bills Abated	300.00
Services charged to Public Welfare	90.00
Services charged to Old Age	115.00
Services charged to Police Dept. (accidents)	325.00

Services charged to Veteran's Relief	\$5.00
Total earnings of the Ambulance for 1950	2,515.00

On December 29th, the Ambulance was responding to a call and the right rear spring broke on the Ambulance through no fault of the Driver, merely, a spring failure. It was found that a delay would ensue to obtain a new spring and since the Ambulance had been driven approximately 38,000 miles and was in need of engine overhaul, the Committee decided to have this work done at the same time the spring repair and installation was made.

In order not to interrupt the service of the Ambulance to the Town and because the Committee felt that such service is of paramount importance the Committee thought it best to hire an Ambulance for a few days while our Ambulance was being overhauled and repaired. Mr. Snell of the Blue Ambulance Co. in Brockton, Mass., allowed us to have one of his Ambulances for a flat rate of \$35.00 per day. This was a good Packard Ambulance and we used it for eight days. This cost amounted to \$280.00, and therefor, this amount will have to be added to our budget at the Annual Town Meeting.

We wish to report that Driver Woodrow W. Williams has taken the Instructor's course on First Aid from the Red Cross. We wish to commend him for receiving such a high mark in the course and we now feel that we have a man capable of instructing the members of the Fire Department and others in the vital work of proper First Aid.

For detailed financial statement see report of the Town Accountant.

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHY MOREHOUSE, R. N.

Secretary, Ambulance Comm.

Report of the Trustees of the Falmouth Free Public Library

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

Again this year it is pleasing to note from the Report of the Librarian, which follows, that the circulation has increased about 12%, with 404 new readers registered. This indicates increased use of the library service. This increase requires additional effort and it will be necessary to slightly add to the hours of our second assistant librarian during 1951.

The Falmouth Grange has given to the library two iron railings, which have been erected on the front steps, making them easier and safer, particularly for those who are less active. The Trustees here express their hearty thanks for this useful gift.

The office has been painted and the entrance refinished, which completes the renovation work for the time being, and the entire building now looks very attractive.

To those who have contributed books during 1950, we extend our appreciation and thanks.

The staff has carried out their duties cheerfully and faithfully under all conditions and the Trustees wish to record their full appreciation and thanks, looking to an even better service for 1951.

Respectfully submitted,

MILFORD R. LAWRENCE, Chm.

WARREN F. DAVIS, Sec.

ABIGAIL B. HOPSON

Trustees.

LIBRARY STATISTICS FOR 1950

Borrowers:

On record at beginning of year	2,756
New registrations	404
Deposit cards	200

Books and Periodicals:

In Library January 1, 1950	12,685
Discarded and lost	81
Purchased	268
Received as gifts	208
In Library December 31, 1950	13,080
Borrowed from other Libraries	116
Rebound	102
Circulation of Books	30,760

By Classes

General works	4
Philosophy	158
Religion	200
Sociology	395
Philology	68

Science	346
Useful arts	667
Fine arts	488
Literature	964
Travel	410
Biography	1104
History	920
Fiction	24,974
Periodicals	32
Children's Books	5,173

RUTH H. FARRELL

Librarian.

Report of the West Falmouth Library

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

During the past year the circulation of books and magazines in our Library has been very good, 4050 of them, and almost one third of these read by young people and children. A loan of 115 books was obtained in March from the Division of Public Libraries in Boston, and used for six months. This made possible some economy in our purchases, which was necessary from heavy expense for rewiring our building. Of the 168 new accessories, 66 were gifts from good friends of the Library. We have also 16 periodicals, some of which are also gifts. Early in the year one of the staff from the Boston office assisted the librarian in discarding books. This made places for more than a thousand newcomers. Our total now is 4125 volumes. There have been 75 new borrowers during the year, and we expect more new readers at the American Merchant Marine Library to which some books have been sent.

Various parties have been arranged to raise money for the very large outlay on our building, the most enjoyable of these being a silver tea honoring the birthday of our well-

known Association President, Mrs. James A. Boyce. The community has greatly appreciated the work of the librarian, Mrs. Brenton Roberts, who resigned early in the year.

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE C. GIFFORD,

Acting Librarian

Report of the North Falmouth Library

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

This past year saw a gain in people using the library. There were 90 different people taking out books. To me it shows that we could use a larger place for the library. But we are thankful for what we have. We have books for all types of readers.

Of course having a Camp so close to us brings in new families and a good many of our readers come from Silver Beach.

The library being so small, it can not accommodate too many at a time, and sometimes we were swamped with people and books coming in and going out.

During the summer the library was open Wednesday evenings and it was a success. I had to have assistance and one of the local girls gave me help which was paid out of book fines.

Next year there will have to be more space made for books for the shelves are over full.

This year I had a sign painted for the outside of the Church stating the library hours and the days when open. Surprisingly, quite a number of people did not know the location of the library.

It is very good to have a nice warm and dry place for the library and the books are in much better condition now than ever.

We have need of an assistant librarian at times so Miss Ethel Cahoon has accepted the offer and she gets paid out of book fines.

The circulation of books for the year was 3500.

I should judge that we had somewhere around 2000 books on our shelves and there are around 500 more to put on the shelves when we get them. That does not sound like many books but as I have said before we are cramped for space so have to keep books weeded out all the time to make room for the new ones.

I hope in another year to have all of the books new and old cataloged.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. CHRISSIE HINCKLEY
Librarian.

Assessors' Report and Valuation

To the Citizens of the Town of Falmouth:

The Assessors of Falmouth herewith respectfully submit their annual report for the consideration of the inhabitants of the Town of Falmouth for the year ending December 31, 1950.

Value of Land	\$6,410,475.00	
Value of Buildings	17,609,052.00	
Total Real Estate		\$24,019,527.00
Value of Personal Estate		2,405,338.00
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Total Valuation		\$26,424,865.00
 Tax, Personal Estate	 \$91,402.83	
Tax, Real Estate	912,740.84	
2738 Polls @ \$2.00	5,476.00	
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Total Tax		\$1,009,619.67

DECEMBER ASSESSMENT

Value of Land	\$1,811.00	
Value of Buildings	14,500.00	
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Total Real Estate		\$16,311.00

Tax, Real Estate	\$619.82
4 Polls @ \$2.00	8.00

Total Tax	\$627.82
Rate of Taxation on \$1,000.00—\$38.00	
Soldiers' Widows Exempt—20	

MOTOR VEHICLES

1949 Taxes Levied in 1950:

Number of Cars	984
Valuation	\$606,570.00
Tax	10,133.43

1950 Taxes:

Number of Cars	4,674
Valuation	\$2,079,070.00
Tax	73,032.46

Rate for 1950—\$44.16

VOTERS

Males:

Precinct 1	352
" 2	558
" 3	858
" 4	530
" 5	405

Total

2,703

Women:

Precinct 1	385
" 2	668
" 3	875
" 4	515
" 5	448

Total

2,891

Grand Total

5,594

Dwelling Houses Taxed	4,246
Horses	40
Cows	100
Cattle other than cows	8
Fowl	4,800
All Other	16
Acres of Land	22,488.92

Dogs Licensed:

Males	317
Females	72
Spayed	129
Kennel Licenses	4

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES R. STOWERS, Chm.

WILLIAM E. ENGLISH

J. EDWARD NICKERSON

Assessors of Falmouth.

Report of the Forest Fire Warden

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is the report of the Forest Fire Warden for the year ending December 31, 1950.

Causes of Fires

Children and Matches	13
Unknown	9
Careless Burning	8
Needless	7
Illegal Burning	4
Careless Use of Matches	4
Incinerators	4
Out of Town Fires	2
Dump Fires	2
Incendiary	5
Sun Reflection	2
Plane Crash	1
Campers	1
Clambake Fire	1
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Total Number of Fires	63

During the past year the conditions of the woodland were just the reverse of conditions in 1949. We had two brief dry spells and at such times we placed in operation the usual fire patrol. The total number of miles patrolled this year were 603 miles. The total amount of gallons of gasoline was 102 gals. Total number of man hours were 73.

Upon resuming the Warden's job, this Spring after my return from Military Service, I made a survey of the fire breaks and decided to wait until the Fall before doing any work on them. I had intended to continue Chief Ferris' program of work on fire breaks for the coming year, but when the trouble broke out in Korea, I was immediately concerned of the situation with respect to obtaining replacement tubes for our radio installations. It quickly developed that tubes for transmitters, especially the mobile type would soon be a scarce article. I consulted with the Chairman of the Finance Committee, Mr. MacDougall, and informed him of the situation and recommended that we purchase a two year supply of tubes while the price was low and the tubes available. This was agreed to and instead of utilizing as much money as was intended I gambled that it would be a wet season and purchased about \$600.00 worth of tubes. At the time of writing this report I find that over 50% of the tubes are not now available except on a bootleg market and at extremely high prices. That is why the unusually high maintenance cost for radio shows up in this year's report.

Since the construction of the new Fire Station has been completed at North Falmouth we have transferred the County Brush Breaker to the New Station with the approval of the County Commissioners. This Station is nearer to the wooded area than Headquarters and therefore, is in my opinion properly located.

We have also transferred to the old Fire Station in North Falmouth one of our Patrol Trucks and the Forest Warden intends to use the old Station at North Falmouth for housing this kit.

On April 17th, we had an obviously incendiary fire on Route 151. This was our most serious fire for the year and

we were obliged to call out of Town aid. The fire was successfully stopped and recall occurred before 7:00 P. M.

Following this fire there was a series of obvious incendiary fires which occurred in the North Western Section of the Town, seven of these fires we have termed as needless but from the manner of their start the writer is of the opinion that they were set along side of the road, but because of the vigilance of the Fire Tower the department was able to extinguish them before any size had been reached. As a result of our investigation, two individuals were questioned and, for a time, were under suspicion by the State Fire Inspector. This type of fire ceased and for the remainder of the year we have been lucky enough to escape any further fires. It was directly due to the alertness and efficiency of Police Chief Harold L. Baker that we were able to discover and apprehend the suspects.

It is my purpose this year to continue the fire patrol whenever the conditions warrant. I am also hoping to be able to use the Junior Callmen this Spring to work on the fire breaks in the Sun Junction-Jenkins Pond area and in the Mill Road Sectors. Some burning of these breaks will be required and it is proposed to start this in favorable weather and late in the afternoons therefore, in the Spring, if a "fire glow" is noted in the sky it will probably be this department doing this work.

I have requested the County Commissioners to place in their County Budget, funds to install a mobile radio set in the Brush Breaker. It is hoped that the Breaker can be so equipped. This piece of equipment is a necessity to the upper Cape area and it can be more efficiently utilized in the wooded areas if the Forest Wardens, using it, are able to communicate with it during a serious fire.

Respectfully submitted,

RAY D. WELLS,

Forest Fire Warden.

Report of the Falmouth Fire Department

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The Board of Fire Engineers submit herewith the annual report of the Fire Department for the year 1950. Included with the statistics are reports from the Chief and subordinate officers.

Respectfully submitted,

DELMAR R. JENKINS

ROBERT A. GOFFIN

GEORGE WEST

ALEXANDER M. ELDREDGE

JAMES Q. LYONS

JOSEPH R. TOWERS JR.

ROGER F. NOYES

JOHN DeMELLO

MANUEL R. SOARES

CHAUNCEY L. CROCKER

EUGENE MONIZ

Board of Fire Engineers

RAY D. WELLS

Chief of Fire Department.

ASSOCIATE ENGINEERS

GEORGE G. FERRIS

MILTON R. C. MacWHINNIE

DEPARTMENT STATISTICS**PERSONNEL**

Administrative Division: Chief of Department, 11 citizens appointed by the Board of Selectmen, constitute the Board of Fire Engineers. The Deputy Chiefs are appointed as associate members of the Board of Engineers.

Fire Prevention Division: Constituted with a Deputy Chief and two Captains.

Permanent Force: (All under Civil Service) Chief of Department, two Deputy Chief, Supt. of Fire Alarm, Master Mechanic, six Captains and twelve firemen.

Call Force: Seventy-seven Call Men and thirty-seven substitute Call Men.

APPARATUS

Five Pumps
One Aerial Ladder
One Ladder
Two Forest Fire Trucks
One Fire Alarm Truck
One Service Truck
Chief's Car
Ambulance with Radio on 158.85 mc
Water Tank Truck (1000 gal.)
Forest Fire Brush Breaker
Cellar Pump Units (1)
Gamewell Fire Alarm System connecting all Stations
Central Radio Station (KCA455) and nine mobile units

PROPERTY

The Department operates from five fire stations and nine Companies.

FIRES AND FIRE LOSS RECORD

Bell Alarms	24
Still Alarms	35
Special Alarms	34
Needless Alarms	34
False Alarms	7
Sprinkler Alarms	2
Reported Fires (non response)	4
Out of Town Calls	3
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Total Alarms	143
Assessed Value of Buildings and Contents	\$646,250.00
Amount of Insurance on buildings and contents	713,095.00
Amount of Loss on building and contents	35,464.56
Amount paid by Insurance	30,452.06
Fire loss not covered by insurance	5,012.50
Value saved by Fire Department (assuming total losses without Fire Department action)	\$641,237.50

FIRE ACTIVITY STATISTICS

Number of small lines used	46	No. of feet	5,050
Number of 1½" lines used	20	" " "	7,300
Number of 2½" lines used	5	" " "	6,750
Number of 3" lines used	3	" " "	450
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Total	74		19,550
Total footage of ladders used			1,492
Hand extinguishers used			8
Amount of CO2 used			95
Salvage covers used			3
Persons injured at fires			9
Loss of life at fires			None

CAUSE OF FIRE ALARMS

Auto Fires	30
Chimney Fires	28
Oil Burner Fires	21

Careless Smoking	11
Unknown	10
False Alarms (pulled street boxes)	7
Electrical Fires	7
Stoves, flues etc.	6
Children and matches	4
Spontaneous ignition	3
Lightning	3
Sparks on roofs	2
Hot ashes	2
Sprinklers (low pressure)	2
Auto accidents	2
Grease fires	1
Fireworks	1
Gasoline explosion	1
Hot water safety valve	1
Steam from vent stack	1
Total number of fires	143

REPORT OF THE FIRE PREVENTION BUREAU

We have issued 524 Oil Permits and 406 Permits for Liquefied Petroleum Gas.

Fees collected for Oil Burner Permits	\$262.00
Fees collected for Liquefied Petroleum Gas	203.00
Total amount turned over to Town Treasurer	\$465.00

We have on file the following permits for inflammable fluids, solids and gases.

Oil Burner Permits	4,652
Liquefied Petroleum Tank Gas Permits	1,767
Total number of Permits	6,419

We have on file permits for the following storages:

Gasoline	339,300 Gals.
Fuel Oil	779,692 "
Kerosene	311,631 "
Liquified Petroleum	180,125 "
Stoddard Solvent	4,300 "
Dynamite	1,000 Lbs.
Small Arms Ammunition	75 Cases

FIRE PREVENTION REMARKS

Although we had a substantial increase in the number of fires this year I notice that the fire loss as a whole has not increased too much in comparison. The reason for this I believe can be attributed to our use of fusible safety valves installed in range oil burners and a safety control installed in all gas floor furnaces. These safety instruments shut off the flow of oil or gas in all cases of flooding or overheating, and in no case have we had a fire this year where a loss has occurred where these instruments have been installed.

We have inspected 524 oil burners, 406 L. P. gas installations, 437 incinerators and 683 business inspections, making a total of 2,050 inspections. We found 19 violations during these inspections and had them corrected. The business districts throughout the town are found to be in good shape from a fire prevention point of view. All schools throughout the Town have had monthly inspections this year and are in good condition.

This department went all out during Fire Prevention Week. Through the cooperation of the Board of Trade, the School Department, and Mr. Russell Marshall, the Insurance Agents of the Town, we obtained self inspection blanks for homes, schools, all places of business, Churches, hotels etc. We distributed them to various key points and practically every home and building in town received one. All blanks that were filled out and received by us were corrected, haz-

ards noted and owners advised as to proper corrections. It will be interesting to note how much this will effect our 1951 Fire Loss.

We made extra inspections during all this week and found very little hazard to comment on, due no doubt to the fine cooperation of the press which gave us publicity. A fire prevention committee was formed to put fire prevention week over. This committee consists of Deputy Chief Milton MacWhinnie, Fire Department; James Boyatt, photographer, Police Department; Russell Marshall, School Department; Lawrence C. Antonellis, Insurance Agent and Donald Hurford and Roger Murray of the Press. This committee proved so successful that it was decided to make it a permanent committee to further fire prevention throughout the year.

I wish to commend Captain Leighton F. Peck and Captain Manuel L. Turner of this Bureau for their fine work and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

MILTON R. C. MacWHINNIE

Deputy Chief.

APPARATUS STATISTICS FOR 1950

Apparatus No.	Miles	Gals. Gas	Oil (qts.)
Chief's Car	16,669	1192	61
Service Truck	13,784	1222	42
Ambulance	12,411	1187	48
Alarm Truck	9,274	1022	42
Auxiliary Vehicles	3,980	398	6
Patrol Car	1,121	281	4
Ladder #1	632	404	4
Brush Breaker	486	176	2
Engine #5	366	290	38
Scout Car	339	93	3
Tank Truck	219	86	10
Engine #3	217	111	8
Engine #4	186	143	19
Ladder #2	102	109	10
Engine #1	59	76	11
Engine #2	54	142	18
Cellar Pump (Gasoline only)		36	None
Total number of gallons of gasoline used			6,968
Total number of gallons of Fuel Oil used			15,553

FUEL RECORD BY STATIONS

Headquarters	Fuel Oil used	7,202 gals.
Station #2, Woods Hole	" " "	2,305 "
Old Station #3, N. Falmouth	" " "	770 "
New Station #3, N. Falmouth	" " "	548 "
Station #4, West Falmouth	" " "	2,106 "
Station #5, East Falmouth	" " "	2,512 "
Headquarters Repair Shop	" " "	386 "
Headquarters Repair Shop	Coal in tons	6 tons

COMPARATIVE GAS AND FUEL OIL RECORD
Last Ten Years

Year	Gals. Gas	Gals. Fuel Oil		
1941	4,710	16,911 gals. all Stations		
1942	4,251	15,716	"	"
1943	4,543	14,302	"	"
1944	5,395	14,221	"	"
1945	5,724	15,472	"	"
1946	6,120	14,629	"	"
1947	8,064	17,051	"	"
1948	6,202	16,803	"	"
1949	7,509	15,008	"	"
1950	6,968	15,553	"	"

Respectfully submitted,

FRED C. FISH

REPORT OF FIRE ALARM SYSTEM

Chief Ray D. Wells
Falmouth Fire Department
Falmouth, Massachusetts

Dear Sir:

I hereby submit my annual report of the Fire Alarm System for the year ending December 31, 1950.

Serious damage to the Fire Alarm equipment occurred during the past year due to electrical and high wind storms. The damage due to high winds, the high tension lines of the Electric Company to the outside alarm circuits which caused a voltage greater than the lightning arresters could handle. The alarm lightning equipment can pass a surge of high voltage through it but not a continuous high voltage. Two fire alarm boxes #26 and #41 were completely destroyed and had to be returned to the factory for repairs. Other equipment that did not get hit so hard was repaired by me without delay.

I have asked for in my annual budget enough money to cover cost of a spare Master Fire Alarm Box for replacement use while a damaged box is removed from service for repairs. The usual length of time taken for repairs has been from four to six weeks and in some instances longer.

I have intentions of removing some alarm boxes this coming year for minor repairs and a spare alarm box to put in place of the box under repair would be advisable.

I found it necessary to replace one bank of the type ICS fire alarm storage batteries this past year and another bank will have to be replaced this coming year. The fire alarm batteries are now 15 years old and have given excellent service.

One new Master Fire Alarm Box has been added at the Cape Cod Marine Railways, Falmouth Heights. I have installed two auxiliary manual pull fire alarm stations in the boatyard which are connected directly to this alarm box.

I have completed the Fire Alarm Panel Board in the new North Falmouth Fire Station which includes a system of pin switching for the external loops to Megansett and Silver Beach. If a failure occurs at either of these two locations, the man on duty at the North Falmouth Station, can immediately find out which loop is open and will be able to cut that loop thus keeping the rest of the circuit closed and operating.

We also have a valuable resistance unit and a milliammeter in series with the fire alarm circuit at the new Station to compensate for any change in current flowing in this circuit.

A new type automatic night light switch has been installed in the new Station, this turns on a certain number of alarm lights in the building when an alarm comes over the fire alarm circuit. This automatic light switch also turns off the night lights after an interval of five minutes after the truck leaves the building going to a fire.

The old North Falmouth Fire Station has been turned over to me for storage and repairs of Fire Alarm equipment. I now have a place to store this equipment together, and under cover which was not possible before.

Several tests made by a representative of the Eastern Insurance Underwriters have been made on various Fire Alarm connections to automatic sprinklers and have been found to be operating in a satisfactory manner.

The usual amount of transfers of Fire Alarm equipment to new utility poles have been made throughout the year.

The Smith valve or whistle valve at Woods Hole failed, and was sent to the factory for repairs. I have made several adjustments to the valve before this happened but it is old and worn out so badly that further adjustments would not correct the operation. We are using a factory loaned valve at this time, and if we wish to continue the use of the whistle, it must be replaced.

Civil Defense is back with us again and several changes are being contemplated in emergency lighting at Headquarters. The outside Fire Stations which have had no provisions

for emergency light and power in the event that the Cape & Vineyard Electric Company's services are lost should receive immediate serious consideration.

I have equipped Headquarters and Woods Hole fire whistles with ropes so that the necessary air raid signals can be sounded manually in the event of alarm. The normal operation of the system, the length of the blast is too short due to the timing of the whistle valve and the "all clear" signals consists of three one minute blasts on air whistles or horns.

I was called upon by the Christmas Lighting Committee to help them at the Green, and also, by the North Falmouth Christmas Tree Committee to help them out with the lights of the tree there.

The radio system is in good working order and at this time no major repairs are needed. I was fortunate to be able to purchase a number of tubes for the radio system before a shortage of tubes came into effect which has happened to certain types of tubes that we have in use now. In fact as I write this report I am advised that most of our transmitting tubes are not available.

The Fire Alarm System is in good working order at this time. I will have to replace some sections of wire in each of the four circuits this coming year that might cause trouble in time to come, and several sections will require tree trimming to eliminate grounds in the alarm circuit.

The air compressor at Headquarters is not satisfactory, and should be replaced with a new one. Parts are no longer available for the pump, and the pumping capacity has dropped so low that it now takes six hours to refill the air tanks once they are emptied. It has failed to operate three times this year.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR C. EASTMAN JR.

Supt. of Fire Alarm.

DRILLMASTER'S REPORT

Ray D. Wells, Chief
Falmouth Fire Department
Falmouth, Massachusetts

Sir:

I submit the following report in accordance with Departmental orders.

All the companies of the Fire Department were drilled this year, which is ordered by the Board of Engineers each year. The companies and drills are shown below.

Engine 1 and Ladder 1—5 Drills

Engine 2 and Ladder 2—7 Drills

Engine 3—10 Drills

Engine 4—5 Drills

Engine 5—6 Drills

The approximate cost for Drilling this year was about \$500.00 which is taken from the callmen's budget (callmen's salaries). This cost may run slightly higher for 1951 due to the increase in members in the company at North Falmouth which now has two (2) companies.

A marked improvement has been noted this year in all companies, especially in the newer members of the various companies.

I would like to commend the members of Engine #3, North Falmouth, for the interest shown again this year. The voluntary drills requested and given, definitely shows the keen interest in this particular company. The voluntary drills bring no compensation whatsoever. These drills were held nights, Sundays and holidays and were very satisfactory, especially the night drills for the newer members recently added to the company.

The Quissett Volunteer Fire Department under the direction of Foreman Freelon Morris have done a remarkable job in building, at their own expense a piece of apparatus which is a credit to each and every member. It has a tank capacity of about 600 gallons with a 150 gallon pump, along with 1½" forest fire hose and the necessary equipment. These members have volunteered their services to the Falmouth Fire Department at any time, upon being notified. The members requested to be drilled with their equipment and were several times, and the results were fine. Most of these members have been "Sparks" of city departments and it is noted they are quite well advanced in most of the routine procedures. It has been a pleasure to work with Mr. Morris and the members, and will try to assist them any time, upon request.

The Junior Callmen have done a fine job again this year burning, patrolling and working on forest fires, and it is anticipated they will be called upon again this coming year.

I wish to thank Mr. Marshall and his staff for their fine cooperation again this year.

I have attended the monthly drillmasters' school in Brookline, Mass., also a Fire Fighting Conference in Worcester, Mass. These meetings with its members and speakers have been very interesting and look forward to each and every one.

May I commend the members of all the companies for the spirit and cooperation I have received this past year and wish to thank each and every one at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

Capt. LEIGHTON F. PECK

Drillmaster.

REPORT OF THE CHIEF

During the past year the Fire Department has lost the services of two officers through retirement due to physical disability. The first was Captain Frank M. Corey, who requested retirement on the 12th of February. Captain Corey served this department faithfully and well for 27 years and 3 months, and his services during the early days of forming, drilling and training were of the best.

Lieutenant Robert W. Donnelly on March 10th, requested his retirement due to physical disability, and the same was authorized. Lt. Donnelly served efficiently and well for 19 years and 6 months. Lt. Donnelly during our early days of forming and training the department proved a most valuable member of the department and for many years did excellent work in keeping and maintaining the Stations and effecting major repairs. His work of setting up and making the furniture for Civil Defense at the beginning of World War II resulted in our being considered as one of the best equipped Civil Defense Headquarters in the State. Lt. Donnelly also, was the prime mover in creating the permanent Firemen's Association which was very much needed in the department.

The writer was released from Military service and as authorized by law, resumed his rank as Chief of Department on March 25th. He found the department in excellent condition and that Chief Ferris, who had served during his absence, had performed in a most efficient manner as well as causing many improvements in the department which had been badly needed. The writer is expressing his appreciation and thanks to Chief Ferris for his most efficient service and for the excellent condition of the department.

On May 31st, the Board of Fire Engineers promoted to the rank of Captain four Lieutenants; Leighton F. Peck was promoted to Captain, which vacancy was caused when Captain Ferris was promoted to Senior Deputy Chief. Lt. Manuel L.

Turner was promoted to Captain to take the vacancy caused by the retirement of Captain Corey.

Two new captaincies were created following the recommendation of the Finance Committee to have each outside Station in charge of a permanent Captain and Lieutenants Kempton and Rose were selected and promoted. Captain Peck was assigned to Engine #3, Captain Turner to Engine #4, Captain Kempton to Station #2, and Captain Rose to Engine #5. Lts. Robbins and Manchester were transferred to Headquarters to act as inspectors for the Fire Prevention Division and to be in charge of the Ladder Truck on their respective platoons.

This arrangement was found to be inefficient and the Board of Engineers determined that an improvement would result by creating two new Captaincies and again re-assigning the officers, so that, on May 31st, the Board of Fire Engineers met and decided to authorize the Chief to promote Lt. Robbins to Captain and assign him to command at Engine #5. They then authorized the Chief to promote Lt. Manchester and assign him to Engine #3, and that Captain Peck was to continue at Headquarters as Department Drillmaster and Fire Prevention Inspector on Deputy Ferris' platoon. Captain Turner was returned to Headquarters and assigned as Fire Prevention Inspector to Deputy MacWhinnie's platoon with Captain Rose taking command of Engine #4.

On July 16th, while responding to an alarm of fire at Mashpee, Ladder #1 was forced off the road by an approaching car. In order to avoid a collision the driver made contact on the right side with a stone wall. This necessitated repairs to the running board and rear fender. The Ladder Truck, also at a later date, backed into a pile of rocks which required, again, repairs to the left rear running board. Other than this however, the Ladder Truck has performed efficiently and well and is, today, a most valuable piece of apparatus for the department.

At a drill of Engine #3 in September, serious trouble developed with this 23 year old piece of equipment. It was found that the wrist pins in two and five cylinders were loose and

worn causing a bad knock. It was also, found that the cam-lifters were badly worn; that the pump itself would not operate better than 75% of its capacity. Temporary repairs were made so that we could finish the year, but it was evident that more extensive renewals and overhauling should be effected, in the coming year if it was decided to continue this pumper in service. This requires a "factory overhaul" and the following items are expected to be renewed; new piston rings, pins, replace crank case and cylinder heads, renew valves and valve guides, renew needed parts for starting motor. Renew distributor complete, especially shaft and bearings, renew all main bearings and connecting rod bearings, estimated cost to be \$550.00. It is estimated that a new engine would cost \$2,000. We believe that the \$550. estimated repairs could be made rather than installing a new engine at this time.

On several occasions during the past two years the 31 year old Engine at Headquarters has failed us many times. The Board of Fire Engineers determined that immediate repairs for this Engine was necessary and after much difficulty a Mr. Julien Wiegel in New Bedford offered to perform the repairs for an estimated sum of \$1,000. and it was thought that this would give us at least five years more of service. Money was appropriated at the last Special Town Meeting for this purpose and at the time of writing this report the Engine is in Mr. Wiegel's shop undergoing repairs.

For the last six or seven years considerable difficulty has been experienced with Engine #5 at East Falmouth in starting the motor. Unless the battery was fully charged it would not turn over. It was found that some extensive repairs requiring factory service must be made including changing the electric system from 6 volt to 12 volt. We have received an estimated price for doing this work for \$749.20. This is recommended and should receive primary attention due to the fact that this piece of equipment carries 1,000 gals. of water and is our best piece of equipment for covering fire hazards not on the water mains of the Town.

In October of this year, it was discovered that "factory repairs" are needed on Ladder Truck #2 at Woods Hole. The

main bearings on the crank shaft are badly worn as well as partially burned valves and worn guides, together with removing a bad end thrust bearing on the crank shaft. The booster pump needs overhauling and a replacement of water seals and rotors, a new exhaust pipe with flexible connections must be replaced as well as installing a new muffler. This estimated cost of repairs is \$665.00

As a result of an accident when one of the permanent men slipped and fell on his back accidentally, it was found that our insurance policy did not protect the Town on the firemen in such a case. And after consultation with the Finance Committee, the Town Policy was changed by endorsement so that with an increased premium all firemen in the department are covered while working and on duty at any time.

There has been in existence during the last few years a group of interested summer citizens and tax payers who have formed a company known as the "Quissett Volunteers." They have purchased and installed a new piece of fire equipment in Quissett at their own expense. They have taken training, and drilled with this department. They have offered to help us without cost and be subject to Fire Department control during the summer months when they are here. As a result the Board of Fire Engineers officially recognized this volunteer company during last summer by formal vote.

During the past year a new station was constructed for Engine #3 district, and the Building Committee has done a very fine job in providing this department with one of the latest and modern type Fire Stations in the country. At the time of writing this report the Building is occupied but not as yet been formally turned over to the Board of Fire Engineers. It is expected that this will be done on January 5th, when the "official house warming" ceremonies will take place.

In anticipation of this action the Board of Fire Engineers by formal vote has decided to retain the old station at North Falmouth and use it for Fire Alarm storage purposes; to keep some forest fire kit therein; and, for such other purposes as may benefit the Fire Department.

During Fire Prevention Week in October, several evolutions were planned and carried out at the Tower Hotel in Falmouth Heights on October 14th. The writer wishes to commend and express his appreciation for the cooperation and excellent showing of all members of the department who participated. It was felt that the demonstrations gave the public knowledge that this department was trying to keep abreast of the times and to be ready in the event a serious fire should occur, by using new and more efficient methods of extinguishing and controlling fires.

The writer was consulted by the Architect and Engineer for the new High School, and as a result, an adequate system of sprinklers to prevent and extinguish fire have been included in the contract. This will mean that, as long as the fire sprinklers are maintained the building can be considered safe from any fire becoming serious. A new Fire Alarm Box # 624 will be placed in service shortly after Town Meeting for the New High School.

The writer wishes to report that only one serious fire involving life hazard is to be reported this year. This occurred on April 3rd, at Hamlin Avenue, and was caused by careless disposition of a cigarette. Six occupants escaped by a narrow margin of losing their lives in this fire. While there has been an increase in the number of fires this year, as compared to the previous year the writer is able to report no loss of life, and all other fires were extinguished before they had extended too far with one exception and this occurred on March 30th, at 2:35 a.m. The fire was not discovered until it had practically burned the building to the ground.

The writer wishes to extend his appreciation to the members of the permanent and call forces for their cooperation and good work during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

RAY D. WELLS

Chief, Fire Department.

Report of the School Building Needs Committee

To the Citizens of the Town of Falmouth:

The year 1950 showed real progress concerning the new Junior-Senior High School.

At the Annual Town Meeting held in February 1950, it was voted "that the sum of \$1,500,000. be raised and appropriated for the purpose of constructing and originally equipping and furnishing a Junior-Senior High School building on land acquired for that purpose off the southerly side of Lakeview Avenue, Falmouth, said building to be substantially in accordance with the plans of S. W. Haynes & Associates; and that to meet the said appropriation the sum of \$100,000. be appropriated from the Post-War Rehabilitation Fund, that the sum of \$100,000. be appropriated from available funds in the Treasury, and that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$300,000. under authority of Chapter 71 of the Acts of 1949, and the sum of \$1,000,000. under authority of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, so that the whole loan shall be payable in not more than twenty (20) years from the date of issue of the first bond or note."

"It was further voted that the construction, equipping and furnishing of the Junior-Senior High School building and the work incidental thereto be performed and said funds

be expended under the supervision of the Falmouth School Building Needs Committee."

At a meeting of the Committee held on October 27, 1950, it was voted "to accept the bid and to award a contract of \$1,304,366.00 to the low bidder, the Platt Contracting Company, Inc., contract to include changes in the specifications as voted by the School Building Committee on October 27, 1950." The contract was signed on November 10th.

Under date of November 9, 1950, a letter was received from Mr. John E. Marshall, Administrator, School building Assistance Commission, as follows:

"I am writing to indicate approval by the School Building Assistance Commission of final working plans for the Falmouth Junior-Senior High School."

Construction was started on November 13, 1950. On this same date we were assigned Project Number 194 by the School Building Assistance Commission.

On Tuesday afternoon, November 21, 1950, ground breaking ceremonies were held at the site on Lakeview Avenue. Mr. Herbert E. Hunziker, Building Committee Chairman, turned the first shovelful of earth. Others participating in the ceremonies were Isabel Rogers, president of the Senior Class of Lawrence High School, Kay Francis, Junior Class president, and Norris Eastman, president of the Sophomore Class. Rev. Ralph H. Long, opened the ceremony with a brief prayer, and all other members of the Committee took their turn with the spade. The shovel, properly inscribed, was turned over to Mr. Donald B. MacKilligan, Chairman of the School Committee.

At a Special Town Meeting held on December 5, 1950, it was voted "to appropriate from the Excess and Deficiency Account the sum of \$80,000.00, said amount to be used for

payment of the cost of constructing six (6) classrooms additional to those now contracted for in the new Junior-Senior High School Building, and for payment of additional engineering and architect's fees and the services of the Town's Clerk of the Works (Construction Inspector), said amount to be expended under the supervision of the Falmouth School Building Needs Committee."

The Committee has held twenty-three meetings during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT E. HUNZIKER, Chm.

SIDNEY W. LAWRENCE

RALPH H. LONG

FRANCES M. MacDOUGALL

DONALD B. MacKILLIGAN

HERBERT I. McLANE

JAMES M. PAFFORD

ABIGAIL J. POWERS

ROBERT C. TAIT

LAURENCE S. WHITE

PAUL DILLINGHAM, Sec.

School Building Needs Com.

School Building Committee

Appropriated, 1946	\$500.00
Previously expended (see Annual Reports of 1947, 1948, 1949 for details)	345.66
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Balance, January 1, 1950	\$154.34
Expended, 1950	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., Toll calls	23.85
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Balance, December 31, 1950	\$130.49

Plans for School Building

Available, 1946	\$5,250.00
Previously expended (see Annual Reports of 1947, 1948, 1949 for details)	4,192.72
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Balance, January 1, 1950	\$1,057.28
Expended, 1950	
H. V. Lawrence, Inc., Surveys	1,024.15
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Balance, December 31, 1950	\$ 33.13

Junior-Senior High School

Appropriated, 1950	\$200,000.00
Expended, 1950	
S. W. Haynes & Associates	
Architect	\$48,460.00
R. B. Corcoran Company	
Temporary water lines	167.22
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	48,627.22
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Balance, December 31, 1950	\$151,372.78

Report of Old Town Cemetery Committee

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

The Old Town Cemetery Committee herewith submits its report for the year 1950.

The work on the Old Town Cemetery was started during the month of April and continued to December as has been done in the past.

A great deal of work has been accomplished with about two-thirds of the grading and seeding completed. Many tree stumps, as well as dead trees have been removed, grave stones have been reset, seed has been planted in new sections of the cemetery and trees have been trimmed where necessary.

It is the hope of the committee that during this coming year more improvements can be made and that the work be extended further to show even more improvement.

We wish to again thank all those interested in the cemetery for their interest and helpful suggestions.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK E. WORCESTER, Chm.

DELMAR R. JENKINS

AZEL C. YOUNG

Old Town Cemetery Committee.

Report of Shore Erosion Committee

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

The Shore Erosion Committee herewith submits its report for the year 1950.

The work on the West Falmouth Breakwater was completed during the first part of the year. The section used as an approach, connecting the breakwater to Little Island, was left in place and should be finished off in the future.

Due to the large amount spent by the State on the West Falmouth Breakwater, no new contracts were awarded during the year. Jetties are needed at Megansett, Falmouth Heights, Maravista, together with work at the outlets to Green's Pond and Bourne's Pond.

The Sand Fences along the Shore Roads were repaired and the long section of fence at Menauhant was relocated nearer the highway to provide more space for the bathers. Beach grass was planted in new areas and is helping to build up the beaches and protect the roadways.

Rdtrap was placed at the end of Beach Road at Silver Beach to protect the banks from erosion and stop the filling in of the harbor.

Respectfully submitted,

RUSSELL NICKERSON, Chm.

WILLIAM E. ENGLISH

NATHAN S. ELLIS JR.

MILTON C. FISH

WILLIAM G. MacDOUGALL

CHARLES A. WHITE, Sec.

Shore Erosion Committee.

Report of the Town Survey Committee

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

The Town Survey Committee submits herewith its report for the year 1950.

The continued increase in real estate transfers has kept the office busy plotting deeds and subdivisions. A great deal of the back work has been cleaned up. The card index system is up to Jan. 1949. It is a necessity to have these cards brought up to date but due to the backlog at the Registry of Deeds this is not possible.

The office was able to have new sets of the maps printed this year and these sets are now being used by the Water Dept., Building Comr's Dept., Planning Board, Registry of Deeds and the Land Court at Boston. In addition there were fifteen sets sold to business men in Falmouth.

The Town Planners have had full use of the office, with all its plans and records, and found it a great help in their work. It would be a good thing for the office to have enlarged copies of the Town Planner's aerial survey in order to show the location of all the buildings in the town.

It is hoped that the Planning Board will be able to use the survey office during the coming year to file their plans and records and provide service to the public.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES R. STOWERS, Chm.

WILLIAM G. MacDOUGALL

GEORGE H. BIGELOW

Town Survey Committee.

Report of the School Committee

To the Citizens of the Town of Falmouth:

The School Committee has held fifteen special meetings in addition to the twelve regular meetings during the year.

Mr. Robert C. Tait was appointed to the Committee in place of Dr. Joseph H. Denton, resigned.

On February 27, 1950, a lunch room was opened at the Teaticket School, which has filled a need for that building.

In April, the Driver Training Course was started under the instruction of the three teachers who have qualified for this purpose.

During the summer most of the interior of the Teaticket School was painted. It is hoped to complete this work during the coming summer vacation. In order to meet State requirements it was found necessary to renew the boiler at the East Falmouth School.

Immediately after the close of schools in June the Office of the Superintendent of Schools was moved from the Village School to the Community Center Building. This move was necessary in order to make room for two additional class rooms in the Village School. In addition to the room thus released, a basement room which had been used for Junior High School classes was made available for use by the Village School. More seats were placed in a basement room in the Hall School which had formerly been used for shop work. Next September two more class rooms will be needed for the

Village School, but as space is not available it will probably be necessary to increase the teaching loads of the fourth and fifth grade teachers.

Due to new legislation all athletic and lunch room money is now handled through the Town Treasurer. Formerly the athletic funds were handled through the High School office and the lunch room money through the Superintendent's office. Bills and payrolls for these departments are now handled in the same way as all other school expenditures.

A detailed financial report and other statistics are included in the following pages.

Respectfully submitted,

DONALD B. MacKILLIGAN, Chm.

RALPH H. LONG, Sec.

FRANCES M. MacDOUGALL

ABIGAIL J. POWERS

ROBERT C. TAIT

LAURENCE S. WHITE

School Committee.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Members	Terms Expire
Rev. Ralph H. Long, Falmouth	1951
Robert C. Tait, West Falmouth	1951
Laurence S. White, Falmouth	1951
Frances W. MacDougall (Mrs. Hume G.), Falmouth	1952
Donald B. MacKilligan, Falmouth	1953
Abigail J. Powers (Mrs. J. Arthur), Falmouth	1953

ORGANIZATION OF COMMITTEE

Chairman	Donald B. MacKilligan
Secretary	Ralph H. Long

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Paul Dillingham
 Office: Community Center Building
 Telephone 151
 Secretary—Alberta F. Donahue
 Clerk—Patricia J. Sullivan

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Schools open Monday, September 11, 1950
 Columbus Day, Thursday, October 12, 1950
 Teachers' Convention, Friday, November 10, 1950
 Thanksgiving Recess, Thursday and Friday, November 23 and
 24, 1950
 Christmas Recess, close Friday, December 22, 1950
 Winter term begins Tuesday, January 2, 1951
 Washington's Birthday Recess, Thursday and Friday, Febru-
 ary 22 and 23, 1951
 Good Friday, March 23, 1951
 Spring vacation, close Friday, April 13, 1951
 Spring term begins Monday, April 23, 1951
 Memorial Day, Wednesday, May 30, 1951
 Graduation, Tuesday, June 12, 1951
 Schools close Friday, June 15, 1951

"NO SCHOOL" SIGNAL

Fire Whistle: 21 (sounded four times at 7:00 and 7:45 A. M.)

GENERAL INFORMATION

Age of Admission to School. Any child who is six years of age or who will reach the sixth year on or before the first day of April following the opening of school in September may be admitted to school, but in every case the admission of a child under six shall be dependent upon the fitness of the child to profit by the work of the school, such fitness to be determined by the superintendent. Pupils under the age of seven who have not previously attended school shall not be permitted to enter later than thirty days after the opening of school in September.

Birth Certificate. A birth certificate is required for entrance to school.

Vaccination. All children must be vaccinated before entering school.

Excuses for Absences and Tardiness. Teachers shall require a written excuse from parent or guardian for each absence or tardiness.

School Attendance. (Extracts from Gen. Laws.) Chapter 76, Sec. 1—"Every child between seven and sixteen, except a child between fourteen and sixteen who meets the requirements for the completion of the sixth grade . . . and who holds a permit for employment . . . and is regularly employed thereunder for at least six hours per day, or a child between fourteen and sixteen who meets said requirements . . . and has written permission of the superintendent of schools of said town to engage in non-wage-earning employment at home . . . shall attend a public day school during the entire time the public schools are in session . . ."

Chapter 76, Sec. 2—"Every person in control of a child described in the preceeding section shall cause him to attend school as therein required, and, if he fails so to do . . . he shall . . . be punished by a fine . . ."

TEACHERS — 1950-1951

No. Years Service
in Falmouth**Lawrence High and Henry W. Hall Schools**

Russell B. Marshall—Principal	20
B.S., Bridgewater; Ed.M., Hyannis	
Theodore H. Banttinen—Mathematics, Science	1
B.S., Hyannis	
Boston University; Coast Guard Academy	
Marion P. Brush—Household Arts	0
B.S., Framingham	
Miss Farmer's Boston School of Cookery	
Lyman E. Butler—Commercial	3
B.S., Salem	
Boston University	
Gail M. Cavanaugh—Mathematics, Science	6
B.S., Boston College; M.Ed., Boston University	
Ruth T. Cornell—English, Geography	4
A.B., Mt. Holyoke; M.A., Wellesley	
Boston University	
Alan D. Craig—History	20½
B.S., University of Arizona	
Worcester Polyt. Inst.; Hyannis; Boston University	
Gladys Browning Curtis—Commercial	9
B.S., Boston University	
Hyannis; Bay Path Institute	
G. Blaine Darrah, Jr.—Science	3½
A.B., Marietta College	
Boston University	
David W. Dimmock—Mathematics	6
Worcester Polyt. Inst.; New Hampshire State;	
Mass. Inst. Tech.; Boston University	

	No. Years Service in Falmouth
Mildred Heath Esten—Household Arts B.S., Framingham Bay Path; Worcester Trade; Harvard; American School of Home Economics; Simmons	7
Henry A. Frank—Problems of Democracy, Geography A.B., Syracuse	15
Elmer E. Fuller—Director of Athletics; Physical Ed. Posse Normal; Springfield College; YMCA Summer School	24
Arthur L. Harper—Printing, Mechanical Drawing, Shop B.S., Fitchburg Hyannis	16
James C. Kinney, Jr.—Mathematics, Football Coach B.S., Dickinson College New York University	4
Josephine T. Kuntz—English, Geography B.S., Salem	3
Helen O. Lathrop—English, Geography B.S., Hyannis Salem; Swain; North Adams; Harvard; Vesper George; Boston University	22
Peter R. Longyear—English B.A., Harvard Columbia	½
Helen E. McKenzie—Science B.A., Seton Hill	7
Wilbur M. Merrill—Shop School of Aeronautics; Fitchburg	24
Patricia Moorman—English B.A., American International College University of Maine; Hyannis	4

	No. Years Service in Falmouth
Lucille Ogden—Commercial B.S.S., Boston University; M.A., University of Maine; Edgewood	7
Marguerite Pratt—French, Spanish B.A., Middlebury College	1
John B. Quick—Director of Guidance B.S., Mansfield State Teachers' College Cornell; Ithaca; Bucknell; Towanda	4½
Mary C. Robb—Latin, English A.B., Vassar Miss William's School; Hyannis	6
Sydney C. Roberts—Mathematics, Civics B.S., Ed.M., Boston University	8
Lewis B. Robinson—Agriculture B.S., New Hampshire College of Agriculture and Mechanical Arts; Mass. Agricultural College	26
Ugo J. Tassinari—Science, Radio B.S., Holy Cross	10
William M. Tow—History B.A., T.E., Kansas Wesleyan; M.A., Univ. of Mont. University of Oregon	0

Village School

Margaret A. Mullen—Principal Lowell; Harvard	34
Catherine L. Marshall—Grade 6A B.S., Hyannis Bridgewater	19
Florence J. Zwicker—Grade 6B Truro Normal; Halifax Ladies' College; Maritime Business College; University of Vermont; Hyannis; Dalhousie	23

	No. Years Service in Falmouth
Barbara D. Buchanan—Grade 5A Lesley; Boston University; Hyannis; Bridgewater	8
A. Margaret Mitchell—Grade 5B Hyannis; Boston University	8
Evelyn A. Fraser—Grade 4A Worcester	7
Ella R. Leonard—Grade 4B Hyannis	7
Constance Ball—Grade 4C B.S., Hyannis	1
Dorothy T. Kirkpatrick—Grade 3A B.A., Michigan State, Wayne University	0
Alice S. Lawrence—Grade 3B Bridgewater	7
Mary P. Hill—Grade 3C Hyannis	8
Alice D. Webb—Grade 3D B.S., University of New Hampshire Boston University	0
Avis E. Blackwell—Grade 2A Bridgewater; Hyannis	21
Blanche C. Jenkins—Grade 2B Truro Normal; Dalhousie	5
B. Christine Anderson—Grade 2C Gorham Normal; Boston University	2
Louise L. Pola—Grade 2D B.S., Bridgewater Boston University	1
Rachel D. Swift—Grade 1A Fitchburg; Hyannis	26

No. Years Service
in Falmouth

Eleanor W. Capel Wheelock; Boston University	16
Elizabeth L. Morse—Grade 1C Bridgewater; Hyannis	7
Dorothy G. Spalding—Grade 1D Child Walker School; Hyannis	2
Hilda G. Graham—Sub-primary Wheelock	10
Lillian Acheson—Remedial B.S., Boston University Worcester; Herrick's; Mass. State College	6

East Falmouth School

Willard E. Boyden—Principal, Grade 6 A.B., Clark University Lenoir Rhyne College	5
Mary G. Dutra—Grade 5 B.S., Worcester	19
Elizabeth A. Clough—Grade 4 Keene Normal	8
Alice Creemer—Grade 3 Prince of Wales Normal	3
Kathryn McLaughlin—Grade 2 Hyannis; Sagamore School of Business	3
Bernice Bradley—Grade 1 Bridgewater	28
Edith M. Duane—Sub-primary B.S., Bridgewater Columbia	3

Teaticket School

Howard F. Barrows—Principal, Grade 6 B.S., Hyannis	25
Kathryn W. Wright—Grade 5 Fredericton Normal	7
Margaret H. Carey—Grade 4 B.S., Hyannis Framingham; Boston College; Bryant & Stratton; Newton Vocational	11
Dorothy K. Donnelly—Grade 3 Salem	11
Lydia H. Crowell—Grade 2 Hyannis	23
Bernice H. Wright—Grade 1 B.S., Hyannis Salem	22
Rita H. Cobb—Sub-primary Buffalo Normal; Canisius	4
Ethel M. Duglay—Special A Salem; American School of Home Economics; Alice Bradley School of Cookery	26
Lillian D. Cory—Special B Hyannis; Harvard; Boston University	14
Mary Q. Cobb—Remedial Hyannis; Swain; Vineland; Boston University	23

Woods Hole School

Norine D. Robinson—Principal, Grades 4, 5, 6 Bridgewater; Hyannis	22
Helen I. Turner—Grades 2, 3 Framingham; Oxford University; Montessori Training School	2
Hazel S. Pingree—Grades 1, 2 B.S., M.A., Ohio State University	3

SUPERVISORS

Rita L. Custeau—Physical Education B.S., Bridgewater	2
Charlotte Holden—Health A.B., Mt. Holyoke; R.N., Mass. General Hospital	23
Helen G. MacQuarrie—Art B.S., Boston University Wheelock; Vesper George	2
Herman H. Young—Music B.M., M.M., New England Conservatory of Music	29

Paul Dillingham—Superintendent of Schools A.B., Tufts; Ed.M., Hyannis Brown; New York University; Danbury; Yale	47
Alberta F. Donahue—Secretary	11
Patricia J. Sullivan—Clerk	1
Roland H. Choate—Attendance Officer	3
Thomas A. Wiswall, M.D.,—Physician	33

SCHOOL CLERKS

Anna K. Harper—Lawrence High School	7
Ethel H. Cameron—Henry W. Hall School	5
Cathrine K. Watson—School Lunch Department	3

JANITORS

Leslie R. Wright—Lawrence High School	4
Leslie B. Youngs—Henry W. Hall and Village Schools	3
Manuel C. Perry—Henry W. Hall School	5
Harry W. Pierce—Henry W. Hall and Village Schools	2
Jessie Cash—Village School	2
John Sylvia—East Falmouth School	2
Albert A. McLeod—Teaticket School	1
George Mellor—Woods Hole School	5

TRANSPORTATION CONTRACTORS

Bus No.

1	Richard J. Breivogel
2	Arthur C. Burke
3	Frank Rego
4	Seth Collins
5	J. Everett Noyes
6	Estate of Louis D. Santos
7	Frank L. L. Turner
8	Chester A. Wright
9	Chester A. Wright
10	Towers and Howe

RESIGNATIONS AND APPOINTMENTS**Resignations:**

Carlton C. Brownell—History, Geography; Henry W. Hall School

Sally P. Holcomb—Household Arts; Lawrence High and Henry W. Hall Schools

Vineta R. Sandwen—Grade 3, Village School

M. Olive Cahoon—Supervisor of Music

Appointments:

Marion P. Brush—Household Arts; Lawrence High and Henry W. Hall Schools

Gladys Browning Curtis—Commercial, Lawrence High School

William M. Tow—History; Henry W. Hall School

Dorothy T. Kirkpatrick—Grade 3A; Village School

Mary P. Hill—Grade 3C; Village School

Alice D. Webb—Grade 3D; Village School

Herman H. Young—Supervisor of Music

SCHOOL RETURNS

School year beginning July 1, 1949 and ending June 30, 1950.

	Elementary	Junior High	Senior High	Total
1. Superintendent				1
2. Number of full time principals, supervisors and teachers:				
a. Supervising Principals				
Men		1		1
Women	1			1
b. Full-time Supervisors				
Men				0
Women				4
c. Full-time Teachers including teaching principals and teachers of special subjects				
Men	2	8	10	20
Women	37	4	6	47
3. Part-time supervisors and teachers				0
4. Pupils enrolled:				
Boys	577	199	134	910
Girls	535	166	137	838
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	1,112	365	271	1,748

SCHOOL RETURNS (Continued)

	Elementary	Junior High	Senior High	Total
5. Pupils for each of whom the town has paid tuition for not less than half of the school year				0
6. Non-resident pupils who attended the schools of the town for not less than half of the school year	4	8	12	24
7. Aggregate attendance	177,535	59,515	44,147	281,197
8. Average daily attendance	971	327	234	1,532
9. Average number of days the public schools were actually in session	182	182	182	182
10. Average membership	1,045	350	252	1,647
11. Net average membership	1,041	342	240	1,623

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

1950

	Available	Expended	Balance	Transfers
General Control	\$10,647.65	\$10,639.65	\$8.00	
High & Vocational Teachers	94,677.79	93,485.13	1,192.66	154.69
Elementary Teachers	123,896.33	124,051.02	154.69*	
Supervisors	13,156.50	13,153.72	2.78	
Substitute Teachers	2,000.00	1,852.00	148.00	
School Clerks	4,834.04	4,719.76	114.28	
School Physician	1,190.00	1,190.00		
High Janitors	6,110.00	6,110.00		
Elementary Janitors	10,062.00	10,076.28	14.28*	
Substitute Janitors	250.00	95.00	155.00	14.28
Total Salaries	\$266,824.31	\$265,372.56	\$1,451.75	\$168.97
Printing, Stationery and Postage	484.43	535.23	50.80*	
Telephones	695.00	813.87	118.87*	
Superintendent's Travel Expense	350.00	209.30	140.70	140.70
School Census	50.00	50.00		
Office Sundry Expense	88.00	252.86	164.86*	
High & Vocational Textbooks	3,382.89	2,720.77	662.12	662.12
Supplies	4,809.00	4,443.36	365.64	365.64
Elementary Textbooks	4,260.00	6,140.28	1,880.28*	
Supplies	4,003.87	4,378.65	374.78*	
Library	993.68	685.92	307.76	307.76
Transportation	23,985.50	23,859.50	126.00	126.00
High Repairs	1,390.00	884.06	505.94	505.50
High Janitor Supplies	1,000.00	773.78	226.22	226.22
High All Other	100.00	93.50	6.50	6.50
Elementary Repairs	6,734.10	6,933.58	199.48*	
Elementary Janitor Supplies	2,136.60	2,445.30	308.70*	
Elementary All Other	100.00	424.50	324.50*	
High Furniture and Furnishings	1,361.00	348.01	1,012.99	1,012.99
Elementary Furniture and Furnishings	380.50	409.39	28.89*	
Diplomas and Graduation	295.00	319.89	24.89*	
Auto Expense	500.00	388.62	111.38	111.38
Health Supplies	50.00	21.74	28.26	28.26
Tuning Pianos	100.00	46.50	53.50	53.50
Repair and Replace Typewriters	665.50	701.50	36.00*	
Athletics and Physical Education	533.00	581.66	48.66*	
Athletic Field	1,005.00	1,018.56	13.56*	
New Equipment	4,000.00	4,079.75	79.75*	

	Available	Expended	Balance	Transfers
Nature Study Courses	500.00	550.00	50.00*	
Out-of-State Travel	150.00	150.00		
Vocational and Trade School				
Tuition	343.00	262.70	80.30	80.30
Home Bound Pupil Tutoring	300.00	222.84	77.16	77.16
Handwriting Course	1,900.00	1,900.00		
Driver Education Course	501.00	407.94	93.06	93.06
Miscellaneous All Other	500.00	593.07	93.07*	
Total All Other	\$67,647.07	\$67,646.63	.44	\$3,797.09

(* Over-expended)

High and Vocational Fuel		\$3,357.44		
Elementary Fuel		7,412.75		
High Light and Power		1,358.74		
Elementary Light and Power		2,121.80		
Total Fuel, Light & Power	\$16,000.00	\$14,250.73	\$1,749.27	

Special Appropriations and Funds

	Available	Expended	Balance
New Power Mower	\$750.00	\$699.65	\$50.35
Unpaid Bills	240.60	240.60	
Agriculture Instructor's Travel			
(George-Barden Fund)	375.00	177.62	197.38
Band Equipment	467.50	94.77	372.73
Teaticket School Lunchroom	2,346.54	2,345.59	.95
Hall School			
Hot Water Tank	450.00		450.00
Boiler	400.00		400.00
Plans for School Building	1,057.28	1,024.15	33.13
School Building Committee	154.34	23.85	130.49
Junior-Senior High School	200,000.00	48,627.22	151,372.78
Repair Village and			
Replace East Falmouth			
School Boilers	3,756.00	3,756.00	

CREDITS

Lawrence Fund	\$412.74
Smith-Hughes Fund	370.99
State Aid for Public Schools	
Chapter 70	12,532.00
Transportation	15,367.66
Vocational Education	
Maintenance of Household Arts Dept.	1,369.56
Maintenance of Agriculture Dept.	1,927.79
Tuition, New Bedford Evening Industrial School	36.90
Town of Mashpee, Tuition	3,029.73
Tuition and Transportation of State Wards	
Division of Child Guardianship	510.91
Manual Training Department	195.78
Refund Petty Cash	10.00
Household Arts Department	36.43
Veterans' Administration—Falmouth Evening Agriculture School, Instructor's Salary	183.50
Sale of School Supplies	32.65
Refunds	1.00
Miscellaneous	7.00
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	\$36,024.64
Expended (Exclusive of Special Appropriations and Funds)	\$347,269.92
Credits	36,024.64
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Net Cost	\$311,245.28

COMPARATIVE STATISTICS

School Expenditures—School Years ending June 30

(Expenditures for State-aided vocational classes not included)					
	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950
General Control					
Salaries of Supervisors, Principals, and Teachers	\$8,785.73	\$9,775.65	\$10,789.99	\$10,263.11	\$10,930.95
Expenses of Supervisors, Principals, and Teachers	128,616.05	151,745.90	166,232.95	187,115.34	208,577.64
Textbooks	4,072.00	3,460.45	3,324.47	5,065.81	4,993.30
Stationery, Supplies, etc.	5,356.33	3,784.63	5,444.70	5,568.17	7,545.08
Janitor Service	5,589.35	5,275.56	8,944.85	4,749.77	8,306.93
Fuel	12,723.34	13,882.45	16,147.69	15,580.12	16,033.28
	8,214.17	9,449.63	10,358.34	13,008.22	11,065.84
Misc. Expenses of Operation, (Light, power, janitor supplies, etc.)					
	4,386.69	4,502.64	7,471.27	4,746.23	8,353.99
Repairs, replacement and upkeep					
	7,009.70	12,543.33	7,158.15	10,173.94	11,985.94
Libraries	454.27	639.19	702.84	882.78	522.67
Promotion of health	3,958.14	4,405.38	4,673.76	4,883.68	5,132.46
Transportation	19,096.60	19,096.60	19,791.50	21,358.00	23,522.66
Miscellaneous	787.02	3,656.33	4,338.32	2,350.51	2,087.67
New grounds, buildings, alterations					
	6.13	472.00	3,558.20	18,166.10	15,747.02
New Equipment					
	739.13	754.75	1,283.32	6,878.39	8,343.19
	\$209,794.65	\$243,444.49	\$270,220.35	\$310,790.17	\$343,148.62

The following comparisons give the percentage costs of different items of the accounts:

School Year Ending June	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950
General Control	4.19	4.02	3.99	3.30	3.19
Salaries of Supervisors, Principals and Teachers	61.31	62.33	61.52	60.21	60.78
Expenses of Supervisors, Principals and Teachers	1.94	1.42	1.23	1.63	1.46
Textbooks	2.55	1.56	2.01	1.79	2.20
Stationery, supplies and other expenses of instructions	2.66	2.17	3.31	1.53	2.36
Janitor Service	6.06	5.70	5.98	5.01	4.67
Fuel	3.92	3.88	3.83	4.19	3.49
Miscellaneous expenses of operation	2.09	1.85	2.76	1.53	2.43
Repairs, replacement and upkeep	3.34	5.15	2.65	3.27	3.49
Libraries	.22	.26	.26	.28	.15
Promotion of Health	1.89	1.81	1.73	1.57	1.40
Transportation	9.10	7.85	7.32	6.87	6.85
Miscellaneous	.37	1.50	1.61	.76	.60
New grounds, buildings and alterations		.19	1.32	5.85	4.50
New Equipment	.36	.31	.48	2.21	2.43
	<hr/> 100.00	<hr/> 100.00	<hr/> 100.00	<hr/> 100.00	<hr/> 100.00

**ATTENDANCE RECORD FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR
1949 - 1950**

School	Grade	Total Mem.	Av. Mem.	Av. Att.	Pct. Att.
Lawrence High	P.G.	1	1.00	.87	87.08
	XII	81	78.79	72.31	93.16
	XI	90	81.86	76.13	94.02
	X	99	90.49	84.62	93.47
Henry W. Hall	IX	123	120.60	112.60	93.38
	VIII	101	94.92	87.07	91.60
	VII	139	134.68	126.90	94.00
Village	VI A	34	27.78	25.95	93.41
	VI B	32	29.36	26.49	93.34
	V A	38	33.33	31.20	93.60
	V B	39	35.08	33.06	94.24
	IV A	36	32.26	30.59	94.83
	IV B	34	29.21	27.00	90.24
	III A	32	26.19	27.62	94.81
	III B	32	28.48	26.60	93.38
	III C	29	26.36	24.80	94.08
	II A	36	29.99	27.23	90.77
	II B	34	29.31	27.29	92.96
	II C	32	32.93	28.10	91.43
	II D	34	30.47	28.17	92.44
	I A	35	32.43	28.70	88.49
	I B	39	29.45	26.48	83.12
	I C	33	26.05	23.55	90.40
	I D	31	25.93	23.13	89.20
	Sub-primary	30	24.69	20.09	81.30
East Falmouth	VI	31	29.90	28.67	96.06
	V	36	35.17	32.82	93.33
	IV	32	31.73	29.90	94.21
	III	40	38.38	35.95	93.47
	II	40	37.45	35.29	94.24
	I	37	30.40	27.74	91.25
	Sub-primary	28	27.03	24.65	91.20
Woods Hole	IV, V, VI	23	18.09	17.17	94.88
	II, III	28	24.50	21.90	89.42
	I, II	31	26.74	25.02	93.59
Teaticket	VI	33	31.72	30.13	94.97
	V	37	33.04	30.83	93.30
	IV	36	34.40	32.65	94.91
	III	36	29.54	28.14	95.25
	II	33	28.68	27.16	94.71
	I	36	27.90	26.59	95.32
	Sub-primary	23	19.36	18.13	93.59
	Special Class A	8	6.94	6.44	92.79
	Special Class B	10	8.94	7.74	86.57
		1,822	1,651.55	1,533.47	92.85

MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE, OCTOBER 1, 1950

Girls

Age	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	Tot.
Sub-pri.	22	15	1															38
Grade I	20	45	19	2														86
II		19	61	23	5	1												109
III			28	59	17	5	1	1										111
IV				11	45	20		1										77
V					14	29	14	6	2	1								66
VI						9	29	11	6	2	4							61
VII										63		9						72
VIII										42		23						65
IX										8		33	2					43
X											12	24	12	9				57
XI												6	23	10	1			40
XII													4	28	13	2		47
XIII																	1	1
Ungraded										2								2
Total	42	79	109	95	81	64	44	19	8	118	16	95	41	47	14	2	1	875

MEMBERSHIP BY AGE AND GRADE, OCTOBER 1, 1950

Boys

Age	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	Tot.
Sub-pri.	24	18	1														43
Grade I	6	60	25	2	1												94
II		14	44	22	4		1										85
III			11	50	15	4											80
IV				10	58	26	9	1	2	1							107
V					4	32	23	10	1	4	1						75
VI						13	22	28	10	9	1						83
VII										48		13	1				62
VIII										29		33	3				65
IX										5		37	12				54
X										1	8	26	15	9	1		60
XI												3	19	8	3	2	35
XII													6	15	12	2	35
XIII															1		1
Ungraded					1		1	2		4	3						11
Total	30	92	81	84	83	75	56	41	13	101	13	112	56	32	17	4	890

Lawrence High School Graduation

June 13, 1950

PROGRAM

WAR MARCH OF THE PRIESTS Mendelssohn
School Orchestra

INVOCATION The Rev. Ralph H. Long

WELCOME Romeo Francis Lafond

HYMN OF LOYALTY Davis-Walch

Class of 1950

COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS Reuben L. Lurie
"Ordinary Folks in an Extraordinary World"

GOD OF OUR FATHERS Fred Waring Arrangement

Class of 1950

ANNOUNCEMENT OF COMMENCEMENT AWARDS

Principal Russell B. Marshall

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS Superintendent Paul Dillingham

CLASS ODE Class of 1950

Words—Ann Thobae Music—Natalie MacDougall

CLASS FAREWELL Patricia Jean Sullivan

BENEDICTION The Rev. George H. Elliot

AMERICAN YOUTH MARCH Fred Cauer

School Orchestra

Loyalty

Honor

Service

CLASS OF 1950

Secretary

Treasurer

President

Vice-President

Marshal

Geraldine Louise DeMello

Constance Wirth Craig

Romeo Francis Lafond

Charles Harris Sample

Henry Schroeder, '51

CLASS OF 1950

ERDINE ELLEN ANDRADE
 EDWARD JOHN ARRUDA
 CHRISTINE GEORGETTE MARIE AVININT
 FARNSWORTH KEITH BAKER, JR.
 DANIEL FRANCIS BALONA

MANUEL L. BARBOZA
 ISAAC M. BARROWS
 LOREN BARROWS
 BARRY GRANVILLE BEALE
 *RITA MARIE BELANGER

*LORETTA JEAN BENEVIDES
 CLAIRE BENTO
 ROY ALBERT BERG, JR.
 FLORENCE RUTH BEVELANDER
 *EDWARD BROOKS BLOMBERGH

JEAN MARIE CANTWELL
 ADILINO CARDOZA
 EDWARD WALTER CARROLL
 PHILIP HAMMOND CHOATE
 *CONSTANCE WIRTH CRAIG

GEORGE WHYTE CROCKER
 LOIS DAY
 *GERALDINE LOUISE DEMELLO
 LORRAINE DEMELLO
 AGNES LOUISE DEPONTE

*JUDITH GRANT DYER
 CHARLES THOMAS EASTMAN, 2ND
 BARBARA MARIE EMMEL
 WINTHROP CURTIS FRYE
 HELEN ANNA GARDNER

FRED RICHARD GASKELL
 MARILYN FLORENCE HAMPTON
 ALLAN C. HENRY
 NELLIE ALTHEA HICKS
 DONALD HILL

ALBERTA HOFFER
 JOHN JOSEPH IRVING
 MARVA LESLIE JENNEY
 GLADYS ARLENE JENNINGS
 FREDERICK KENNETH JENSEN

RICHARD BENJAMIN JONES, JR.
 ROBERT JOHN KELLY
 ROMEO FRANCIS LAFOND
 PATRICIA ANN LAWRENCE
 LUCINDA ELIZABETH LOPES

RICHARD FRANCIS LOPES

ROBERT FRANCIS LOPES

*NATALIE JOYCE MACDOUGALL

HELEN MEDEIROS

GEORGE MELLO

VIRGINIA WARREN MERRILL

*SYLVIA AUDREY MIXSON

JAMES MONIZ

*BRUCE WARREN NASH

MELVILLE ELGIN NICKERSON

MARY MARGARET OSBORNE

*EVELYN LEMOYNE PALMER

*JOHN EDWARD PAPP

ANN WILLA PETERS

PHYLLIS MARGARET PETERS

LEROY SHELDON PETERSON

JOHN GREGORY PINHO, JR.

*RANDOLPH JOHN RAPOZA

BRUCE STODDARD REGAN

JOSEPHINE REZENDES

NANCY ANN RIENE

FRANCIS CHARLES ROSE

JAMES EDWARD SALTHOUSE

CHARLES HARRIS SAMPLE

KENNETH CHARLES SANDERS

ROSE DIAS SOARES

ANTHONY KING SOUZA

*PATRICIA JEAN SULLIVAN

LOUISE MAE SWENSON

CYNTHIA ELLEN SWIFT

ALTHEA ANN TAVARES

*ANN CAROL THOBAE

RICHARD THOMAS TOBEY

CARMINDA F. VEIGA

DONALD EDWARD WOOD

* National Honor Society

CLASS ODE

Words by Ann Thobae
Music by Natalie MacDougall

O, Lawrence High, our hearts you swell
With love and modest pride.
O, grant that we be true to thee,
Our guardian and our guide.

O, Alma Mater, hear us now
As we depart from thee.
Accept our pledge of loyalty
Wherever we may be.

Chorus

Then sing for the school we leave now behind,
The moulder both of body and mind.
And say goodbye to Lawrence High
New lives to seek and find.

Flower

Carnation

Colors

Red and White

Motto

WITH THREADS OF KNOWLEDGE WE WEAVE SUCCESS.

Report of the Woods Hole Public Library

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

For several years the Trustees of the Woods Hole Public Library have been convinced that the present building is not large enough to provide adequate space for the increasing numbers of books and readers. They have, therefore, decided to erect an addition which will double the floor area. A committee, of which Dr. J. P. Warbasse is Chairman, drew up preliminary plans and these have been used in the preparation of the final plans by the architect, Mr. Ernest A. Sterling. A campaign to raise the necessary funds will soon be under way.

Mr. George A. Griffin, who served for many terms as President of the Trustees of the Library, resigned and Dr. Alfred Redfield was chosen to replace him. Mr. Griffin was elected as Trustee. Mrs. Sidney Peck, the Librarian for many years, resigned and Mrs. Milton Gray was appointed to that position.

During the past year nearly 10,000 books were taken out, a great increase over previous seasons.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES PACKARD,

Treasurer.

Report of the Water Commissioners

To the Citizens of the Town of Falmouth:

We respectfully submit herewith our report on the activities of the Water Department for the year 1950.

The year was again outstanding, particularly in the line of new house connections and in Minor Extensions to reach new developments. In the pumping and distribution branches, there was a normal increase, but the amount of water pumped was less than in 1949 due to there being a shorter dry season than previously.

Construction of new extensions included four of major importance. These included mains for the Marine Biological Laboratory in the Devils Lane Tract, a main through Allen Avenue from Fairview to Clinton, a short extension of the mains and a loop into the existing mains in By-Water Court. All of these were laid under the 9% guaranty by-law.

The fourth major project was the laying of a 6-inch line through Allen Avenue and Fairview Avenue to replace the small inadequate 2-inch line.

Extension Of Mains:

The work of digging and laying the main extensions was advertised for public bid and the contract was awarded to Turner and Breivogel, the lowest bidder. Included in the contract for work were certain minor extensions consisting of pipe sizes from 1-inch to 8-inch. Some of this work was done wholly by the contractor, and some partly by our own force with the contractor doing the digging and back filling.

In 1949 we had great difficulty in maintaining a supply with adequate pressures in North Falmouth. This was due to an unusually dry season and also to the fact that the mains were not adequate to carry the water. That is, they were relatively small in size, but to add to this they were heavily incrustated with rust tubercles which impeded the flow and increased the friction loss of head. This year we had the mains cleared by the National Water Main Cleaning Co., at a cost of 8 cents a foot. The cleaning process will last about three years before it has to be repeated. The best solution would be to line the pipes with cement in place. This is, however, quite expensive, and in considering a choice of the two methods of correcting the trouble we have to compare the annual cost of cleaning with the fixed annual charges of the lining process as distributed over a number of years.

Studies of the needs of North Falmouth were made in 1949 and the possibility of a new standpipe was considered. We feel that this can be postponed for a few years and that the improvement of our pumping situation should come first.

A method of improving the North Falmouth situation which will accomplish the most good is to extend the mains from their present terminus in West Falmouth on the shore road at the Sea-crest Hotel, northerly to a junction with the line on Wild Harbor Road, or to Crystal Spring Avenue, and thence westerly to a junction with the existing line on Laura Street. This will not only provide a new supply line to North Falmouth, but will greatly improve the supply and pressure to Silver Beach which is now a dead end.

As voted by the Town in 1949 we engaged Metcalf and Eddy, our consulting engineers, to make a study of the means of supplying water in Hatchville and the Coonamessett section, and on the improvement of the supply in North Falmouth. Reference has been made to the latter part of this report in the preceeding paragraph. In respect to the situation in the northeasterly part of Falmouth, it was found that it would cost between \$180,000.00 and \$240,000.00 to connect this section with the existing system. As an alternative to

this arrangement, a separate system would cost between \$88,000.00 and \$148,000.00, depending on the area covered. Metcalf and Eddy therefore state "it seems unlikely that the time has arrived to justify a full municipal system in the Hatchville and nearby areas."

New High School:

Extensions voted at Town Meeting but not carried out as yet include the new supply for the High School off Lakeview Avenue, to which was added an enlarged new main throughout the length of Lakeview Avenue to Gifford Street. Most of the existing line is only 4" in diameter, is unlined pipe, and has been in for 30 years. A temporary line of small steel pipe has been laid into the school for construction purposes. The pipe has been ordered for the main lines which it is expected will be laid in the early spring.

Minor Extensions:

There were numerous requests for these, and more were asked for than we could handle. The result was that several owners put them in at their own expense but under our supervision, with the expectation that they might be taken over in 1951.

Service Connections:

More new service connections were installed this year than in any year since the water system was put in. The total for the year was 325. The nearest approach to this in the past was in 1927 when the total number of services installed was 239. Included in the latter were 112 new services, all in one locality, Silver Beach, resulting from the extension of the mains to that colony. The cost of the service installations this year also, of course, exceeded our estimate. The cost was \$18,049.00 against an estimated amount of \$14,900.00. We were reimbursed in the amount of \$8,941.80 for these services, while the balance has to be taken out of our total budget. This item of service connections is a "must" in our work, because we could not refuse to connect a house with water when the water mains are in the street.

Hydrants:

We were obliged to postpone the work of placing stop-gates on some of our hydrants because of the great demands for house services and minor extensions, which took the greater part of the time of our maintenance crew. We installed 11 new hydrants altogether, including those on new extensions. One at the corner of Grand Avenues West and South replaced the hydrant removed from that location some years ago. The main connections were in, so that it was only necessary to furnish and connect the hydrant itself. A steamer hydrant was placed near the Tower Hotel replacing a smaller one. Eight hydrants were broken off by automobiles during the year. In every case prompt repairs were made thus preventing a great loss of water.

Pumping Facilities:

The demands on our pumping stations were less than in 1949, and the Worthington engine was able to pump most of the water needed quite satisfactorily without any large expenditures for repairs. We have realized for some time that this engine had come to the point where more and more repairs would be needed. Bearings and pistons had become worn after 23 years almost constant operation, and a major overhaul was in prospect. This type of engine is not made now so that repair parts have to be made up special. This in normal times takes two or three months to get parts, and with defense program in operation, we might not be able to get parts at all. We had a study made of our pumping needs in 1948, this resulted in recommendations for several alternate propositions. We felt that this year the time had come to take definite steps to improve our facilities, so in the late fall we called Metcalf and Eddy in to go over the study, and asked for their recommendations based on the conditions as now existing. We all agreed that a start should be made immediately on plans for a new pump. After considering all types of pumping units, and from all angles of cost and source of power, including reliability of service and possibility of power failures, we recommended, and our consulting engineers Metcalf and Eddy agreed with us on the change from

steam to electric operation for our main pumping unit. Plans and specifications are now being prepared to accomplish this end. It is doubtful if the change can be made before next fall, so we are making all plans to operate this summer with the steam unit, supplemented as usual by the gas-engine driven centrifugals and our Waquoit well-field units.

The general level of Long Pond is low compared with previous years, but there is nothing alarming in this, as there is an ample supply of available water, and the level of the pond would have to drop several feet to be near the depth of our intake. In general the condition of our supply is much more favorable than in the majority of places in the New England area.

Our Waquoit Station was used for only short periods this year, it not being required. Extensive repairs were made in the well-field by having most of the driven wells pulled and cleaned. They were installed in 1942 and had required no repairs up to this time. Of the 40 wells, 26 were pulled and cleaned. These alone will yield about 300 gallons per minute which was all that we were previously obtaining from the whole field. From 5 to 10 gallons a minute can be drawn from the other wells so we are assured of an available yield of 400 gallons a minute from this source. This station is considered a great asset, because it is capable alone of supplying the whole domestic needs of the eastern part of Town from Maravista Avenue and Route 28 easterly, and in an emergency such as failure of our main pumps it could be of considerable assistance in supplying parts of the Village and Falmouth Heights. A portable pump drawing water from Long Pond could supply the rest of the Town temporarily, under rigid restrictions.

Quality Of Water:

The usual tests and examination of the water have been made by the State Board of Health and by Metcalf and Eddy in their water analysis laboratory. As before no pollution has been found, and the water has at all times been declared safe for drinking purposes. We have had occasional instances of red-water troubles as usual. On the whole they

have, however, been less numerous and of shorter duration than in some other years. Where the trouble has resulted from cleaning operations, it has been found that the best procedure is to allow the flow to return to normal by not opening bleeders or hydrants which just prolong the condition. This applies also on main lines when there has been an unusually heavy draught from hydrants used for fires or where they have been broken off. On dead ends it sometimes is necessary to blow off.

Water Treatment:

This has been continued as before, by the addition of small quantities of milk lime to overcome the acidity, and by the addition of very small amounts of chlorine to sterilize any stray harmful bacteria in the remote event that some should get into Long Pond. The State Board of Health recommends this, and our system is so set up that the dosage can be rapidly stepped up if there is any suspicion of pollution of the supply.

Maintenance Work:

This includes semi-annual inspection and checking of fire-hydrants to make sure they are ready for instant use, and properly protected against freezing in winter, as well as the usual repairs to gate-valves, etc.

During the year we purchased a pipe-cleaning outfit for use on small pipe of 2" diameter and less. This was used on several small lines and has restored the original capacity of the pipes and thus deferred the need of replacing them for several years.

Meter reading, repairing and checking meters is carried on regularly. We call in some 600 summer meters for storage and safekeeping each winter. This allows us to make necessary repairs and to get readings that would not be obtainable until spring.

There is someone in attendance at our shop every week day and on holidays in the summer season. As we are frequently called out at night or on Sundays for emergency duty on account of leaks or broken hydrants, our maintenance

crew is on call and some can always be reached on short notice. Breaking of hydrants usually happens at night and this calls for immediate repair regardless of weather or time.

Records of pipe lines and stop-gates are made when the work is being done. All of our men are trained to make the necessary "ties" showing location, before the work is covered up. These records are kept in duplicate at the shop and office so as to be available in emergency at all hours.

Equipment:

Our rolling stock has been kept in running order though at constantly increasing expense. Two trucks which are in constant daily use are 5 years old, as is also the Superintendent's car. The others are 4 years old and have been over 60,000. miles each. The bill for auto maintenance exclusive of gas and oil was somewhat higher than in 1949. We feel that for the very essential work of maintaining the domestic and fire supply of water, as well as the work of installing new pipes and house connections, we should be equipped with modern and adequate rolling stock. Our budget will provide for this by replacing at least one of our trucks.

Standpipes:

A relatively small amount of repair work was required on the standpipes this year. The top of the Woods Hole Steel tank and the cover plate between the concrete and the tank proper was gone over, and bolts replaced where necessary. Quissett tank is now showing the need of paint so we will have to do this over in 1951. Waquoit, which has not been painted on the outside since it was built in 1945, will require two coats of paint. Allowance has been made for this work in the budget.

Long Pond Watershed:

As voted in the last Town Meeting an area 500 feet in width, bordering Long Pond was taken over by the Water Department after consultation with the Park Department as to the lines. Lines satisfactory to both departments were staked out and a plan made.

The status of the S. W. Lawrence parcel north of Goodwill Park is as before. It is expected that definite arrangements will be made at the next Town Meeting for the Town to acquire a 500 foot strip to be turned over to the Water Department.

Financial:

Receipts for the year were almost up to those for 1949, which was a very unusual year because of the drought. The receipts for water fell off from \$100,412.49 to \$96,885.57, but the larger number of new services brought up the total revenue. Receipts for these were \$8,941.80 as against \$6,255.24 for 1949. Our expense for service material and for meters was much increased because of increased number, higher cost of material, and the fact that many services installed in 1949 were not provided with meters due to inability to obtain them. We, therefore, bought and installed them this year. We paid all the maturing notes and interest on the same this year, a total of \$11,379.00. In 1949 all except \$4,000.00 was paid from general Town funds.

It has been difficult to adhere to the estimates used in making up the 1950 budget because of the unusual demand for services and minor extensions. For instance, we are allowed a certain overall amount for maintenance. This amount is made up of a great many small items which at best in a utility can only be estimates. The cost of services was \$3,149.00 over the estimate. This had to be expended, there was no choice so it was inevitable that it must be taken from some other items in the budget. Thus for example there was less spent on Waquoit Pumping Station and less for Standpipe Repairs than estimated. All of these were necessary things, but something had to be left out so as not to exceed the appropriation.

Organization:

At the annual Town Meeting in February George R. Thayer was re-elected for the three year term. The Board has consisted this year of George R. Thayer, Ormond C. Ellery

and Joseph R. Hall. It was reorganized with Mr. Thayer as Chairman and Mr. Hall as Secretary. The operating staff continued essentially the same as before with George A. Griffin continuing as Superintendent and Engineer, in charge of office and outside work.

Our regular maintenance crew has remained the same, but we have made use of more temporary help than in previous years. We believe the organization is at a high state of efficiency, and we wish to express to the personnel our appreciation for the part each one has played in the department's work.

Recommendation:

There are several articles in the forthcoming warrant calling for extensions of the mains, some of which have been carried over from the previous year. At the time of this report we have not been informed in detail of the new extensions asked for. We realize that many requests for extensions are very worthy, and if the Town continues to grow as it has in the last few years provisions must be made to supply new developments with water. We do, however, urge the voters to have in mind the financial situation of the department and to vote only for those extensions which are urgent and will bring an adequate return to the Town.

The following is the report of the Engineer of the Pumping Station and certain financial data and statistics relative to the water works.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE R. THAYER, Chairman

JOSEPH R. HALL, Secretary

ORMOND C. ELLERY

Water Commissioners

REPORT OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER

January 8, 1951

To the Board of Water Commissioners:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report for the year 1950.

Long Pond which during the past fall reached its lowest level in twenty years, has started to fill up slowly, and at this time shows a height of $5\frac{1}{2}$ " on the gauge. This is 6" lower than a year ago.

Engine Room:

The Worthington steam pump has been in operation every day the past year, and is in fair condition.

No major repairs have been made, and the pump will no doubt continue to run for some time.

Both gas engines are to be overhauled this winter.

The recording instruments on the standpipes are working well and have given practically no trouble during the year.

Boiler Room:

The boilers and appliances are in good condition. The non-return valve on one has been repaired at the factory and is now back in place.

Some repairs to the brickwork in both furnaces will have to be made soon.

Living Quarters:

The ceilings in this part of the plant have been whitened, also woodwork and floors painted.

Respectfully submitted,

AUSTIN E. PERRY,
Chief Engineer, Pumping Station

RECORD OF WATER PUMPING IN 1950

January	21,354,000 Gals.
February	19,311,000 "
March	23,970,000 "
April	21,823,000 "
May	25,248,100 "
June	31,485,700 "
July	56,507,200 "
August	53,168,500 "
September	31,598,800 "
October	24,822,000 "
November	20,907,000 "
December	21,452,000 "

 351,647,300 Gals.

Total pumped by steam	344,661,000 Gals.
Total pumped by gas	3,391,000 "
Total pumped by electricity	3,595,300 "
Largest week—July 25 to 31	16,883,800 "
Largest day—July 28th	2,582,200 "
Less than 1949	33,102,400 "

All above figures from Venturi readings.

 CASH ACCOUNT

Receipts

Cash on hand, January 1, 1950	\$32,624.59
Miscellaneous Receipts	139,919.98

 \$172,544.57

Expenditures

Per approved bills and payrolls	\$145,156.59
Balance December 31, 1950	27,387.98

 \$172,544.57

INCOME ACCOUNT**Receipts**

Water Revenue (net)	\$96,885.57	
Miscellaneous Receipts	9,666.01	
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		\$106,551.58

Appropriations:

Investigations	\$1,000.00	
Special Salary Increases	1,344.44	
Extensions	18,004.06	
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		20,348.50

\$126,900.08

Expenditures

Operating Expense	\$60,936.03	
Fixed Expense (Notes Paid)	9,800.00	
Interest Paid	1,579.00	
Special Salary Increases	1,344.44	
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		73,659.47

Additions to Plant:

Service Connections	\$18,048.94	
Minor Extensions	9,705.81	
Hydrants	1,186.87	
Meter Installations	4,281.85	
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		33,222.97

Extensions		37,018.23
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Total Additions to Plant		<hr/> \$70,241.20
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STATEMENT OF WATER ACCOUNTS

Outstanding Accounts January 1, 1950	\$15,360.92
Commitments—1950	122,915.83
Collections (Less Refunds)	106,298.94
Abatements	1,189.07
Discounts	7,291.01
Water Liens Filed	1,658.43
Outstanding Accounts December 31, 1950	23,512.31
Water Liens outstanding December 31, 1950	1.00

SUMMARY

Cost of Plant to Jan. 1, 1950	\$1,420,466.15	
Additions (1950)	70,241.20	
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Cost of Plant Property to date		\$1,490,707.35
Stock and Stores:		
Large Pipe and Fittings		8,574.99
Miscellaneous		6,062.53
Water Liens Outstanding		1.00
Accounts Receivable		23,512.31
Reserves:		
Long Pond Land		1,650.00
Land Well—field		443.74
Special Investigation		710.67
Various Authorized Extensions		15,742.42
Improvement of Pumping Facilities		15,253.01
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		\$1,562,658.02
Less Excess Appropriation over revenue		103.79
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		\$1,562,554.23

BALANCES

Notes Outstanding Dec. 31, 1949	\$74,300.00	
Issued in 1950	18,100.00	
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		\$92,400.00
Redeemed in 1950		
By Water Dept.	\$9,800.00	9,800.00
Notes Outstanding Dec. 31, 1950		82,600.00
Annual Rates in Advance (estimated)		15,000.00
Cost Invested in Plant and Property:		
Town Appropriation	\$298,956.44	
Water Works Income	1,165,997.79	
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		1,464,954.23
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		\$1,562,554.23

WATER DEPARTMENT — COMPARATIVE TABLE

Showing assets, liabilities, income and expenses for each year for the past ten years.

	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
Value of Plant	\$1,140,260.32	\$1,159,077.51	\$1,186,019.94	\$1,214,458.56	\$1,249,023.46
Outstanding Bonds	5,550.00	1,000.00	500.00	0.00	0.00
Bonds Paid	7,500.00	4,500.00	500.00	500.00	0.00
Interest Paid	435.00	170.00	30.00	10.00	0.00
Regular Expenses other than Interest	36,540.78	39,438.75	39,425.70	40,092.53	53,822.18
Extraordinary Expenses	1,879.52	*5,997.35	*7,345.89	*8,929.10	*1,137.90
Water Revenue	**77,932.48	**77,498.75	**78,145.15	**78,615.05	**76,466.96
	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950
Value of Plant	\$1,287,087.55	\$1,321,107.92	\$1,413,050.50	\$1,482,742.30	\$1,562,554.23
Outstanding Bonds	0.00	0.00	64,370.00	74,300.00	82,600.00
Bonds Paid	0.00	0.00	0.00	10,870.00	9,800.00
Interest Paid	0.00	0.00	613.20	1,409.20	1,579.00
Regular Expenses other than Interest	48,947.83	53,120.39	58,203.96	65,152.67	60,936.03
Extraordinary Expenses	*2,920.33	*4,431.14	*4,248.93	*3,323.84	*2,000.00
Water Revenue	**81,860.69	**86,139.24	**91,578.66	**107,511.04	**106,551.58

*Cleaning Mains.

**No rates received for public buildings or hydrant service.

**SUMMARY OF STATISTICS FOR THE YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1950**

**(In Form Recommended by the New England
Water Works Association)**

**Falmouth Water Works, Town of Falmouth
County of Barnstable, State of Massachusetts**

GENERAL STATISTICS

Permanent Population—8,700 (estimated)

Summer Population—29,000 (estimated)

Date of Construction, 1898.

By whom owned, Town of Falmouth since 1902.

Source of supply, Long Pond, Waquoit Well Field.

Mode of supply, pumping.

PUMPING STATISTICS

1. Builders of Pumping Machinery: Worthington Pump and Mach. Corp.; Sterling Engine Co.; DeLaval Steam Turbine Co.; Gardner Denver; Aurora Pump Co.
2. Description of fuel used, (a) Kind, bituminous; (b) Brand of coal, Portage #4; (c) average price of coal per net ton delivered, \$12.52; Percentage of ash, 10.6%
3. Coal consumed for the year, 881,600 lbs.
4. Electricity consumed for the year, 5,640 KWH.
6. Total pumpage for the year, Steam 344,661,000; Gas, 3,391,000; Electric, 3,595,300; (measured by Venturi meter).

7. Average static head against which pump works, 180 ft.
8. Average dynamic head against which pump works, 207.
9. Number of gallons pumped per pound of equivalent coal 391.
10. Duty

Gallons pumped (6) x 8:34 (lbs.) x 100 Dynamic head
(8) divided by total fuel consumed (3) equals
67,492,837.

Pump operated 24 hrs. part of the time between July 1st
and September 1st.

Pump operated 12 hrs. from Oct. 25 to June 1st.

Cost of pumping figured on pumping station expenses,
viz.: \$18,236.56
11. Per million gallons pumped \$52.39
12. Per million gallons raised one foot, 0.253
- 12A. Cost per million gallons for coal, \$16.01

STATISTICS OF CONSUMPTION OF WATER

3. Estimated population supplied: Winter 8,700; Summer 28,000.
4. Total consumption for year: 351,647,300 gals.
7. Average daily consumption: Winter 771,010 gals.
Summer, (June, July and August) 1,534,363 gals.
9. Gallons per day to each consumer: Winter 89; Summer, 55.
10. Gallons per day to each tap, Summer 359.
11. Cost of supplying water, per million gallons figured on net maintenance, \$173.31
12. Total cost of supplying water, per million gallons figured on net maintenance plus interest on bonds, \$177.80

STATISTICS RELATING TO DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM

Mains

1. Kind of pipe, cast iron and wrought iron. Asbestos-Cement.
2. Sizes, C. I.—4-inch to 18-inch; W. I. and copper tubing, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch to 2-inch.
3. Extended during the year, 6-inch and over, 11,255 ft.; 2-inch and under, 5,423 ft.
5. Total now in use, 120.99 miles.
6. Number of hydrants added during the year, 12.
7. Number of hydrants now in use, 556.
8. Number of stop gates added during the year, 25.
9. Range of pressure on mains, 60 to 85 lbs.

Services

10. Kind of pipe, galvanized wrought iron, cement lined, lead lined wrought iron, copper tubing and cast iron, (4-inch).
11. Sizes, $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch to 4-inch (principally $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch).
12. Number of taps added during the year, 325.
13. Number now in use, 4,278.
14. Number of meters installed this year, 335.
15. Number of meters now in use, 4,072.
16. Percentage of services metered, 95.2.
17. Renewals, 48.

Report of War Memorial Committee

**To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Dear Sirs:

We herewith submit the report of the Committee on a Suitable Memorial to All War Dead.

This committee had several meetings during the year and recommended that the new Senior-Junior High School be called Falmouth Memorial High School and that two boulders be placed on either side of flag poles with the names of World War I dead inscribed on one and the names of World War II dead inscribed on the other.

This was not acceptable to the town and so we are therefore attempting to carry out the wishes of the last town meeting in which it was voted to name the auditorium as a Memorial with suitable plaques placed nearby and we will work in co-operation with the School Building Needs Committee on same.

Respectfully submitted,

MR. ROBERT GRIFFIN
MR. MORTON FRANCES
MRS. HELEN JAMES
MRS. ARTHUR WEEKS
MR. ALVIN NICKERSON
MR. PAUL DINGWELL
MR. DELMAR R. JENKINS, Chm.
War Memorial Committee.

Report of the Bureau of Old Age Assistance

FOR THE YEAR 1950

Total Expenditure for 1950	\$107,339.28	
Federal Participation	41,893.33	
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Town Participation		\$65,445.95
Receipts:		
State, Cities, Towns and Other		45,703.52
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Net Cost to Town of Falmouth		\$19,742.43

During the year 1950, the Bureau of Old Age Assistance aided an average of 110 persons per month. The caseload has been gradually increasing, the number of persons now receiving assistance totalling 119.

The State Standard Budget is still maintained as a basis for computing the budgetary requirements of all recipients.

Respectfully submitted,

J. EDWARD NICKERSON, Chm.
 WILLIAM E. ENGLISH
 CHARLES R. STOWERS
 ELVIRA F. COSTA, Soc. Worker

Report of the Board of Public Welfare

To the Citizens and Property Owners of the Town of Falmouth:

A gross expenditure of \$60,029.40 was made during 1950, for General Relief. From this amount, \$12,276.84 was deducted making a net cost of \$47,752.56 to the Town of Falmouth. The \$12,276.84 having been made for outside aid chargeable to other cities, towns and state. In addition to the above expenditure, we have received various bills in the amount of \$641.36 contracted in 1950 which will be presented at the annual town meeting requesting an appropriation covering such amounts and the proper authority to be paid by this department.

We have aided, during the year under General Relief, as a monthly average, 78 cases consisting of 190 persons at an average monthly cost of \$26.39 per person.

A gross expenditure of \$63,523.58 was made for Aid to Dependent Children. Reimbursements from the Federal Government and State amount to \$43,128.64 leaving a net cost of \$20,394.94 to the town. In accordance with requirements of the department of Aid to Dependent Children, all medical, dental and surgical needs of the children and mothers have been provided for.

A gross expenditure of \$6,932.55 has been expended for the maintenance of the Falmouth Infirmary. The sum of \$870.45 has been received from individuals and outside aid from the state, leaving a net cost of \$6,062.10.

We gratefully acknowledge the many contributions of useable clothing and shoes which have been received during the year.

The Nursing Association, the school nurse and the agent of the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children have rendered valuable assistance to this department which we greatly appreciate.

Mr. Felicio M. Franco Jr. is serving as Agent assisted by Sophie J. Torres and Mrs. Elizabeth M. Williams.

Respectfully submitted,

J. EDWARD NICKERSON

WILLIAM E. ENGLISH

CHARLES R. STOWERS

Board of Public Welfare.

INFIRMARY—1950

Month	Total	No. of Persons
January	\$319.64	6
February	503.22	6
March	446.46	6
April	378.58	6
May	594.37	6
June	468.62	7
July	582.70	7
August	782.55	8
September	570.90	8
October	525.45	6
November	438.07	6
December	1,321.99	9

\$6,932.55

855.00 Less Reimbursement

15.45 Less Outside Aid—State

\$6,062.10 Net

PUBLIC WELFARE—1950

Month	Total	No. of Cases	No. of Persons	Cost per Case	Cost per Person
January	\$3,199.54	86	210	\$37.20	\$15.23
February	6,641.44	106	296	62.66	22.44
March	6,218.57	101	261	61.57	23.44
April	5,835.42	97	244	60.16	20.39
May	6,439.89	79	178	81.52	36.18
June	3,977.54	68	123	58.48	32.34
July	3,585.60	56	110	64.03	32.60
August	3,243.29	57	125	56.09	25.95
September	4,289.73	59	135	72.71	31.78
October	5,179.63	71	172	72.95	24.30
November	3,896.87	73	190	53.38	20.51
December	7,521.88	84	239	89.55	31.47

\$60,029.40

12,276.84 Less Outside Aid—Other Cities
and Towns—State

\$47,752.56 Net

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN—1950

Month	Total	No. of Cases	No. of Persons	Cost per Case	Cost per Person
January	\$4,364.16	42	146	\$103.91	\$29.89
February	5,337.10	43	150	124.12	35.58
March	5,070.72	44	151	115.24	33.58
April	5,090.65	45	155	113.13	32.84
May	5,547.50	46	155	120.60	35.79
June	4,644.75	45	153	103.22	30.36
July	4,805.17	44	147	109.20	32.69
August	5,224.78	44	145	118.75	36.03
September	4,946.11	46	154	107.52	32.12
October	5,335.48	45	149	118.57	35.81
November	6,387.87	50	163	127.76	39.19
December	6,769.29	51	168	132.73	40.29

\$63,523.58

24,119.68 Reimbursement from Fed. Gov.

\$39,403.90

19,008.96 Reimbursement from State Gov.

\$20,394.94 Net

Report of the Special Sewerage Committee

To the Citizens and Property Owners of the Town of Falmouth:

The Woods Hole Sewerage System was accepted on May 10, 1950, by Haley & Ward, consulting engineers, after the sewer in East Street was replaced by one of cast iron. The ejector station is now in operation. The first connection was made on School Street, connecting a house owned by Mr. Sidney W. Lawrence. Connections are now in process of completion to serve the Oceanographic Institute and the Marine Biological Laboratories and their various buildings.

At a special town meeting held on Dec. 5, 1950, a plan to finance the cost of the system was adopted whereby, 55% of the cost be borne and paid by the Town of Falmouth and that 45% be borne and paid by the owners of the land within the territory served, and that the 45% portion of the cost be divided by assessing on the basis of \$2.50 on the frontage of such land on any way, in which a sewer is constructed, plus a use charge of 50% of the annual water bill assessed by the Water Department of the Town of Falmouth on such property. If land abuts upon more than one way, the assessment shall apply on one such way and the other way shall be subject to an exemption of not less than 60 feet.

Respectfully submitted,

J. EDWARD NICKERSON, Chm.
ROBERT C. NEAL, Sec.
ROBERT W. GRIFFIN
CHARLES PACKARD
LEWIS C. WEEKS

Report on the Study of Sewerage for Falmouth

To the Property Owner and Voters of the Town of Falmouth:

The following report prepared by Haley & Ward, consulting engineers, is the result of a vote passed at the annual Town Meeting held in February 1950.

In 1931 a complete study was made of the Falmouth sewerage problem, particularly concerning main street, by the late Frank A. Barbour, consulting engineer, with whom Mr. Haley was then associated. Mr. Haley did much of the detailed work in making the original survey. A copy of the original report with drawings is still available.

We recommend that in considering a Sewerage System for the village of Falmouth serious consideration should be given to the original plan which provided for the basic framework of a system, that made it possible to extend, taking in a large area of the town which could be served by gravity flow, thus avoiding the expense of additional pumping stations which would be necessary in the event that the initial installation was primarily designed to serve main street.

As a matter of information, to illustrate the changing conditions as reflected in estimated costs, we are inserting the following comparative estimates for the two alternate systems suggested for the village of Falmouth.

Main Street "Scheme 3"

(1931)—\$88,894.00

(1951)—\$238,500.00

Basic System Served by Gravity Flow

(1930)—\$150,894.00 (1946)—\$312,800.00 (1951)—\$440,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

J. EDWARD NICKERSON, Chm.

ROBERT C. NEAL, Sec.

ROBERT W. GRIFFIN

CHARLES PACKARD

LEWIS C. WEEKS

Special Sewerage Committee

**Special Sewerage Committee,
Town Hall,
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

This report reviews and brings up to date in point of estimated cost, a plan for providing sewerage for Falmouth Village based upon disposal by treatment works at an inland site.

Under date of November 21, 1946, the late Frank A. Barbour concluded that the first construction program should include the sewerage of the central business area and the construction of a main sewer to carry the sewage by gravity to a natural point of collection, which would be along the waterfront at Inner Harbor.

Disposal by discharge offshore being banned by vote of the Town, it will be necessary to construct a pumping station and force main to lift the sewage to inland treatment works and the site selected in 1930 at the old race track is still available and provides isolation and soil conditions which will absorb the treated sewage without surface overflow, this being an important factor where no free flowing stream is available.

In our opinion, the best interests of the Town of Falmouth would be served by the construction of sewers in the business district, together with the necessary main sewer, pumping station, force main and treatment works to provide the backbone of any future development of sewerage work for the Village District, and we recommend for your consideration the construction of such main sewerage works including 12,000 feet of 8-inch, 10-inch, 12-inch and 15-inch sewers, pumping station, force main and treatment works for \$440,000.00 based on anticipated 1951 unit prices.

Considerable discussion has taken place from time to time, on account of the relatively high cost of the work required to provide the backbone of a system of sewers for the

Village District and several schemes for limiting the sewer construction to the Main Street area have been proposed. One such scheme, reported on in detail in 1931 provided for a sewer in Main Street from Palmer Avenue to east of King Street and a sewer to the Robbins Laundry. With a pumping station located in the rear of the Town Hall and a force main to the old race track site, together with treatment works made up of settling tank and appurtenances and two acres of sand filters, the estimated 1951 construction cost would be \$240,000.

As previously stated, it is our opinion that the best interests of the Town of Falmouth would be served by the construction in the first instance of the framework of a system which would provide sewerage for the business area of Falmouth Village and which could be thereafter added to as occasion demanded without abandonment of any work previously constructed and we recommend, that if the time has arrived when sewers are needed in Falmouth Village, that consideration be given to the construction of that part of the complete system herein described.

For your information, cast iron pipe is still available for delivery in about six to eight months. Pumping equipment is on about the same delivery schedule, but clay sewer pipe and construction materials required for the proposed treatment works are not yet in short supply.

Respectfully submitted,

Haley and Ward, Engineers

By F. William Haley

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Report of Claims and Suits

**Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Dear Sirs:

The following report will show the status as to Claims and Suits disposed of during the calendar year 1950 and of the Claims and Suits which are now pending against the Town of Falmouth and also those cases which have been brought on behalf of the Town of Falmouth or its officers and have been disposed of or are now pending.

A. Cases Disposed of in 1950.

1. City of Boston vs. Town of Falmouth (Suffolk Superior Court No. 415714)

This was an old case brought in the Suffolk County Superior Court in June, 1947 in which the City of Boston sought to recover \$120.00, plus interest and costs, for aid furnished in 1943 and 1944 by the City of Boston to three different parties alleged to have Falmouth settlements. After conferences with the representatives of the Law Department of the City of Boston the case was settled on April 6, 1950 by the payment of \$93.00 which meant that a certain portion of the claim was withdrawn as not being well founded and thus this case was disposed of at that time.

2. City of Boston vs. Town of Falmouth (Suffolk Superior Court No. 443894)

On March 29, 1950 a case was brought in the Suffolk County Superior Court by the City of Boston against the Town of

Falmouth based on a claim of \$299.00, plus interest and costs, for aid claimed to have been rendered in 1946 and 1948 to persons having legal settlements in Falmouth. This claim was disputed on the ground that the major portion of the aid furnished was not to persons for whom the Town of Falmouth was responsible. After conferences the case was settled in June, 1950 by the payment of \$114.00 plus \$10.00 costs, a total of \$124.00 thus disposing of this case.

With reference to these two cases it might be said that the City of Boston seems to have a habit of permitting claims of this character to remain unattended to until they are about to lose their claims under the Statute of Limitations and then in order to keep their claims alive they bring these suits on claims of this character which could, if promptly attended to, have been adjusted and settled without the necessity of law suits.

3. Tanglewood Hotels, Inc. vs. Board of Assessors of Falmouth (Appellate Tax Board No. X-81930)

Petitioner in this case had claimed that there was an excessive tax assessment on 431.7 acres of land, a substantial portion of the former Beebe property located West of the Falmouth Railroad Station. The case was on the list of cases for hearing on September 18, 1950. It was voluntarily withdrawn without any trial or any hearing or any further concessions mostly because the Falmouth Board of Assessors had advised the applicant that in view of the fact that they already had a recent reduction in their assessment which they had accepted the present case appeared unwarranted. The case was disposed of by their voluntary withdrawal of it.

4. Preston E. Corey et al vs. Board of Assessors of Falmouth (Appellate Tax Board No. X-81709)

The Petitioners claimed that a lot of vacant land assessed at \$800.00 was over-valued to the extent of \$500.00. The case was on the trial list of September 18, 1950 at which time it was voluntarily withdrawn and thus disposed of without any trial or hearing thereon.

5. Harold C. Randall, Building Inspector, vs. Sidney W. Lawrence (Barnstable Superior Court No. 21074)

This was the Equity proceeding commenced in April, 1949 to restrain the further excavation of gravel and commercial use of property of the defendant located near Long Pond. The final Decree provided in substance that no excavation or commercial use shall be made of the land within that portion of the land involved within a line 500 feet Northerly from the shore of Long Pond, this being in accordance with the vote of the Town.

6. Harold C. Randall, Building Inspector, vs. A. Miriam Scannell (Barnstable Superior Court No. 21059)

This case which involved maintenance of a 2-way radio antenna on property in Quissett had been practically completed in 1949. A Final Decree was entered in 1950, the 2-way radio antenna complained of having been removed. No further action was necessary.

7. Janet P. Harrison, Petitioner, vs. the Falmouth Board of Appeals, and Harold C. Randall, Building Inspector, and Ethel M. Robichaud (Barnstable Superior Court No. 21448 Equity)

The Petitioner as owner of a certain parcel of land at #62 Walker Street instituted these proceedings in the Barnstable Superior Court claiming in substance that the permit which had been issued for the construction of a small building as an accessory building on the property of the respondent Robichaud was invalid. Appearances and answers were filed on behalf of all the defendants and the case was given some preliminary hearings before Judge Brogna at the Barnstable Superior Court.

Finally as a result of negotiations between counsel representing the various parties, it was agreed that the building should be removed from its location to a point 65 feet back from the easterly line of Walker Street and not less than 10 feet from the common boundary line between the two owners.

A Final Decree to that effect was entered on November 1, 1950 at a hearing before Judge Brogna since which time the building has been removed in compliance with the Decree.

B. Cases Pending Against the Town or Town Boards

1. Alfred E. Direng et al vs. Board of Assessors of Falmouth (Appellate Tax Board No. X-85541)

The Petitioners have a 5-room summer cottage located on Lot 75, Section K, Seacoast Shores on which the Board of Assessors have placed an assessment value of \$3,500.00. Their claim is that the fair cash value of the property is \$2,500.00. The case is pending before the Appellate Tax Board and presumably will be reached for trial during the current year.

2. William P. Wilson et al vs. Board of Assessors of Falmouth (Appellate Tax Board No. X-85587)

The Petitioners are the owners of what they describe as an unfinished summer cottage located on Lot 16, Yacht Club Section, Seacoast Shores. This property in 1950 was assessed by the Board of Assessors at \$2,800.00. The Petitioners claim that its fair cash value at the time was \$2,000.00. This case presumably will be heard by the Appellate Tax Board during this year.

3. Edwin F. Hannon et ux vs. Board of Assessors of Falmouth (Appellate Tax Board No. X-85666)

The Petitioners are the owners of a one-family house and garage and a lot of land located on Nye Road at Megansett which at the time of purchase by petitioners was assessed to the former owners by the name of Harry W. Litchfield et ux. The 1950 assessed valuation placed on it by the Assessors of Falmouth was \$11,800.00. The Petitioners claim that the then fair cash value of this property was \$7,000.00. Presumably this case also will be heard during 1951.

C. Other Pending Cases

1. James F. Connelly vs. the Inhabitants of the Town of Falmouth (Barnstable Superior Court No. 4621)

This is the same action that has been pending in the Barnstable Superior Court since May, 1947. It is an action of

contract in which the plaintiff is suing the Town of Falmouth for alleged damages of \$12,000.00, and is on the list of cases for jury trial. The plaintiff claims that the work of rebuilding the Great Pond Bridge and the highway adjoining petitioner's premises was so improperly or negligently done as to cause him great damages. The State Department of Public Works had supervision and control through their engineers of this construction work.

At the various sessions of the Court each October and each April since the action was brought the Town has been ready to proceed with the case but for one reason or another counsel for the plaintiff always delayed or avoided trial. Particularly was this true in October, 1950 at which time witnesses for the Town were in readiness and counsel for the Town urged trial of the case but was unable to obtain actual trial. The case will be on the trial list again in April, 1951.

2. William J. McCann et ux vs. the Town of Falmouth
(Barnstable Superior Court No. 21523)

This is a petition for the assessment by a jury of land damages and other damages resulting from the taking of land by the Town of Falmouth. On March 23, 1950, pursuant to the vote of the town meeting, the Board of Selectmen made a taking for bathing beach purposes at Falmouth Heights of a parcel of land located between Grand Avenue and the waters of Vineyard Sound. The land taken had a frontage of 133.30 feet on Grand Avenue and about 111 feet at low water line on Vineyard Sound and consisted of 3000 more or less square feet of beachland and 8240 more or less square feet of upland. Included in the land taken was a concrete sea wall. Owners claim that the damages awarded them are inadequate for the value of the land taken and they also claim that the damages should be enhanced considerably because of the fact that a concrete sea wall had been constructed by them at considerable expense and was included in the land taken.

The case has not yet been on any trial list but is on the list of pending cases in the Clerk's office of the Barnstable Superior Court.

3. Town of Falmouth (Water Department) vs. Commonwealth of Massachusetts (Barnstable Superior Court No. 21599)

This action is brought for the purpose of obtaining reimbursement from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for action of the employees of the Commonwealth resulting in a break in the water mains of the Town of Falmouth and causing damages not only to the water mains but also to the property of one of the adjoining owners. This claim is only in the sum of \$137.41. It was necessary to bring this action in order to prevent the liability of the Commonwealth from lapsing. It is hoped that we will be able to make an adjustment with the Commonwealth either by procuring payment of the whole amount or the greater portion thereof.

4. Arthur A. Monteiro et ux vs. William E. English, Charles R. Stowers and J. Edward Nickerson, as Board of Selectmen and Licensing Authority, Harold C. Randall, Building Inspector, and Zack Roderick (Barnstable Superior Court No. 21562)

On October 9, 1950, the plaintiffs, Arthur E. Monteiro and Beatrice E. Monteiro brought a suit by a Bill of Complaint in Equity against the three members of the Board of Selectmen of Falmouth, against the Building Inspector of Falmouth and against Zack Roderick of Falmouth. This action was not returnable until the first Monday of December. The Bill of Complaint makes many claims and among other things alleges that a permit or permits issued by the Building Inspector to Zack Roderick or the owner or owners of the premises before him to build and alter a structure on those premises should be adjudged void; also that the granting of the victualer's license to operate a restaurant for the sale of all alcoholic beverages by the Board of Selectmen be declared void; that the operation of the restaurant and liquor business of Zack Roderick be declared a nuisance; that the Building Inspector among other things be permanently enjoined from granting further permits of a like nature to the respondent, Zack Roderick; that the Selectmen be ordered to revoke the restaurant license and the liquor license granted and that they be per-

manently enjoined from granting him or others taking title under him a license of that kind, it being alleged that the location remains in a single residence district; and that the respondent Zack Roderick be enjoined from further using the premises for restaurant purposes or for the sale of intoxicating liquors or beverages of any nature.

On behalf of the Board of Selectmen we prepared and filed a Demurrer and an Answer and likewise on behalf of the Building Inspector we prepared and filed a Demurrer and Answer. A Demurrer is a pleading which in substance sets forth that assuming and admitting all the allegations of the Bill of Complaint as true nevertheless there is no cause of action. There were many reasons assigned in our Demurrers, for example, that this Equity proceeding was not a proper proceeding under the facts and circumstances; that it did not comply with the legal requirements in many respects such as there being a misjoinder of parties, it being multifarious, it being verbose and argumentative and replete with immaterial, unnecessary and in some instances scandalous allegations; that the allegations were indefinite, vague and uncertain, etc.

The counsel for the plaintiff in this action filed a motion and request for hearing; a motion for appointment of a master; two motions to strike out parts of the two Answers filed, one being the Answer of the Selectmen and the other being the Answer of the Building Inspector, and also marked the Demurrers for hearing.

On January 17, 1951, a hearing was had at Boston before Judge Frank J. Murray of the Superior Court. The Demurrers were argued by counsel for the Town officials and by counsel for the plaintiffs. A Brief which had been prepared by counsel for the Town was at the same time filed. Counsel for the plaintiffs at his request then made was allowed until Friday, January 19, to file his Brief.

Incidentally the Motion for appointment of Master includes the request that no member of the bar for Barnstable County who practices before Judge Paul M. Swift be so appointed. Further action in this case depends upon the decision

of Judge Murray on the Demurrers and the Motions to Strike Out. Hearing on the Motion for a Master was deferred.

The year 1950 has been one of unusual legal activity for the Town. The matters of zoning, variances, nuisances and all kinds of questions arose on which advice had to be given immediately or almost immediately. The continuance of the appropriation of \$500.00 for settlement of Claims and Suits is recommended. Several claims were settled quickly and for moderate amounts again during 1950 from this appropriation and because this appropriation was available for such uses.

TO SUMMARIZE:—

The status of the Town as to Court litigation is as follows:—

Three cases against the Town are pending in the Barnstable Superior Court, i.e. Connelly vs. Town of Falmouth; McCann vs. Town of Falmouth; Monteiro et al vs. the Selectmen and Building Inspector of Falmouth.

Three tax appeal cases are pending before the Appellate Tax Board, i.e. Direng vs. Board of Assessors of Falmouth; Wilson vs. Board of Assessors of Falmouth; and Hannon vs. Board of Assessors of Falmouth.

One case is pending in the Barnstable Superior Court brought on behalf of the Town against the Commonwealth.

This is considerably more than the usual number of cases pending and forecasts a busy year of Court trials and hearings.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN P. SYLVIA JR.

Attorney

Report of the Town Treasurer

GENERAL CASH

Cash on hand, January 1, 1950	\$456,411.75
Receipts for year ending December 31, 1950	1,610,843.51
TOTAL	\$2,067,255.26
Paid out on Warrants drawn by Town Accountant for year ending December 31, 1950	\$1,541,684.97
Transfers to Water Dept. for new Water Extensions	13,747.62
Transfer to Water Dept. for 8/1-12/31/49 Salary increases	1,344.44
Cash on hand December 31, 1950	510,478.23
TOTAL	\$2,067,255.26

WATER CASH

Cash on hand January 1, 1950	\$32,624.59
Receipts for year ending December 31, 1950	106,727.92
Transfers from Town Account for new Water Extensions	13,747.62

Transfer from Town Account for		
8/1—12/31/49 Salary increases	1,344.44	
Bonds issued for New Water Extensions	18,100.00	
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TOTAL		\$172,544.57
Paid out on Warrants drawn by Town		
Account for year ending		
December 31, 1950	\$145,156.59	
Cash on hand December 31, 1950	27,387.98	
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TOTAL		\$172,544.57

EUNICE M. LAWRENCE,
Town Treasurer.

Report of the Town Clerk

DIVISION OF FISHERIES AND GAME

Licenses issued during the year 1950:

106	Resident Fishing	@ \$2.00	\$212.00
35	Minor and Female Fishing	@ 1.25	43.75
12	Non-resident Special 3-day Fishing	@ 1.50	18.00
7	Non-resident Fishing	@ 5.25	36.75
3	Non-resident Minor Fishing	@ 2.25	6.75
405	Resident Hunting	@ 2.00	810.00
4	Non-resident Hunting	@ 10.25	41.00
81	Resident Sporting	@ 3.25	263.25
8	Resident Trapping	@ 5.25	42.00
1	Minor Trapping		2.25
6	Duplicate	@ 0.50	3.00
52	Non-resident Military or Naval Service Sporting	@ 2.00	104.00
19	Resident Sporting, issued free to Citizens over 70 years of age		.....
2	Resident Fishing issued free to Old Age Assistance recipients		.....
38	Resident Military or Naval Service Sporting issued free		.....
Total			\$1,582.75
Less Fees			178.50
Remitted to Division of Fisheries and Game			\$1,404.25

 DOG LICENSES

Dogs licensed from December 1, 1949 to December 1, 1950:

317	Males	@ \$2.00	\$634.00
72	Females	@ 5.00	360.00
129	Spayed	@ 2.00	258.00
2	Kennel Licenses	@ 25.00	50.00
2	Kennel Licenses	@ 10.00	20.00
Total			\$1,322.00
Less Fees			104.40
Total paid the County			\$1,217.60

 LICENSES ISSUED UNDER CHAPTER 148,
 SEC. 13, GENERAL LAWS

Storage and Sale of Volatile Inflammable Liquid, and
 Garages for storage of three cars or more:—

January 1 - December 31, 1950

129	Renewal Licenses	@ \$1.00	\$129.00
2	1948 Licenses overdue	@ 1.00	2.00
2	1949 Licenses overdue	@ 1.00	2.00
Total			\$133.00

EUNICE M. LAWRENCE,

Town Clerk

Births Recorded in Falmouth

1950

Date	Name	Parents
January:		
2	.....	Augustus O. & Sofy (Baker)
4	Ronald Stephen Hazelton	Peter C. Jr. & Gloria A. (Gebo)
7	Carl Stephen Gonsalves	Anthony K. & Laticia M. (DeMello)
9	Kathleen Anne Souza	Carlyle R. & Barbara (Peckham)
10	Carlyle Robinson Hayes, Jr.	Abel & Minnie L. (Barrows)
10	Rita Ann Fernandes	Vincent L. & Margaret (McAdams)
11	Christine Mary Duffany	Benjamin W. & Margaret (Sennott)
15	Ronald Hughes Iris	George H. & Harriett B. (Wiswall)
17	Robert Wiswall Bigelow	Frank W. & Dorothy M. (Keeler)
17	Sandra Joanne Saunders	Alvan L. & Natalie (Moore)
20	Alvan Ludlow Nickerson, Jr.	Richard G. & Phyllis B. (Fish)
22	Steven Wayne Kenney	Edward J. & Edith B. (Moniz)
24	Cheryl Ann White	Eugene F. & Thelma L. (Harrison)
26	Deborah Jean Hafernik	Benjamin M. & Mary (Roderick)
26	Lawrence Andrews	Virginie P. & Constance E. (Tarvis)
28	George Pimental Rosa	Gillispie Blaine Jr. & Grace W. (Phillips)
31	Jan Marie Darrah	
February:		
1	Donald Bernard Lehy, Jr.	Donald B. & Linda K. (Erskine)
2	Ralph Michael Marks	Frank S. Jr. & Lillian (Medeiros)
3	Arthur John MacWhinnie	Milton R. C. & Christina B. (Doyle)
10	Dorothy Mae Kucsan	Joseph & Mary M. (Crogan)
14	James Allen Crabtree	George W. & Rita A. (Morrisette)
15	Beverly Alice Towers	Joseph R. Jr. & Alice E. H. (Hinckley)
18	Deborah Ruth Bailey	Charles B. & Phyllis T. (Quinn)
18	Sharlene Regina Alves	Francis J. & Arlene E. (Cardozo)
21	Wendy Williams	Allan C. & Virginia F. (Rowe)
21	Gloria Jean Parent	Henry F. & Mary E. (Lewis)
23	Mark Stephen Fejes	Joseph M. F. & Jacqueline B. (Atchison)
25	Sandra Marie Rodrigues	Manuel L. & Irene E. (Grace)
25	Veronica Adeline Vadala	Dominic M. & Adeline V. (Goffin)
25	David Henry Minkel	William & Vera I. (Stuchlikoua)
26	Kathleen Ellen Palmer	Lawrence F. & Eileen N. (Toomey)
26	Nancy Ildeko Varga	Laszlo J. & Ilona (Bolya)

Date	Name	Parents
March:		
2	Melanie Jane Costa	Joseph & Kathleen (Stevens)
3	Christine Rose Mele	Arthur J. & Irmgard E. (Weber)
4	Holly Ann Woodward	Fred C. Jr. & Ruth M. (Farrand)
4	Eleanor Jean Landers	Kenneth V. & Beatrice I. (Folger)
6	Barbara Ann Lovejoy	Horace L. & Frances G. (Hall)
6	Kathleen Linda Doyle	Robert E. & Barbara A. (Naumann)
7	Richard Marshall Williams	William H. & Marion (Marshall)
8	Michael Steven Martin	Anthony & Alwilda K. (Braga)
9	Cynthia Margaret Parker	Charles F. & Marion J. (Mohr)
12	Joy Ann Young	Lee O. & Joy G. (Marsh)
12	Jo Anne Young	Lee O. & Joy G. (Marsh)
12	Eleanor Jean Pitts	Lowell & Claire E. (Palmer)
12	Stephen Thomas Drago	Anthony A. & Alice J. (Burgess)
18	David Lee Craven	Richard D. & Lois A. (Baker)
23	Thomas Edward Figueroa	John & Lillian (Botello)
24	Stephen Paul Costa	William & Edith (Anderson)
26	Charles Gregory Gifford	James E. & Violet M. (Barker)
28	Deborah Ann Servis	Milton L. & Blanche C. (Fonseca)
29	Christine Hope Rinkevicz	Benjamin F. & Hilda C. (Mallast)
30	Robert Lynn Crowell	Billy R. & Rose M. (Lucas)
31	..... Scruggs	Harold W. & Juanita I. (Hall)

April:

5	Donald Allan Netto	Joseph S. & Eleanor (Mogardo)
5	Conrad Roy Mattson	Conrad E. & Ethel M. (Morris)
6	Ann Elizabeth Vose	Louis A. & Esther E. (Thorstensen)
8	Marie Elaine Pine	Joseph S. & Dorothy A. (Hampton)
9	Susan Lodge Borden	Robert L. & Elinor H. (Eddy)
10	Diane Janet Rose	John & Josepha (Fontes)
12	Robert Mitton Jones	Charles R. & Ruth (Brown)
13	Louis Joseph Souza	Louis & Marjorie M. (Geggatt)
13	Mark Stephen Coburn	Albert S. & Marilyn (Ingram)
13	Mary Edith Frank	Henry A. & Virginia F. (Overy)
15	Patricia Weeks	Gordon W. & Lorraine (Hauston)
15	Robert Harvey Thompson, Jr.	Robert H. & Emilia P. (Romiza)
16	Kevin Dexter McDonald	Robert D. & Barbara A. (Berg)
18	Daniel Thomas Rettig	Edward A. & Martha M. (Miller)
21	Cheri Lee Mayo	Chester R. B. & Dolores (Lino)
21	Priscilla Ann Saulnier	Morrill L. & Ethel M. (Slabaugh)
22	Frederick Richard Metell	Frederick R. II & Ruth E. (Weeks)
22	Bethanie Ann Eident	Paul & Thelma L. (Robichaud)
24	Donald Lawrence Silvia	John L. & Lydia (Rabesa)
30	Michele Weadock Hodgson	Sloat F. & Nancy C. (Weadock)
30	Wayne Hendrik Sandlin	James W. & Dorothy E. (Lefevre)

May:

4	.....
8	Brenda Susan Perry	Bernard L. & Lillian E. (Dube)
10	Dorothy Marie Canty	Augustus T. & Margaret (Higgins)
12	.....
17	Daniel Perry	Manuel Jr. & Mary (Machado)
18	William Lafayette Oliver 3rd.	William L. Jr. & Gloria J. (Bearse)

Parents	Date	Name
May:		
20 Joseph Robert Andrade, Jr.	Joseph R. & Helen (Bento)	
26 John Erik Spooner	Charles E. Jr. & Joanne (Tassinari)	
27 Carolyn Sue Pate	Bill & Marsella M. (Mardaus)	
28 Cathy Jean Reynolds	Roland H. & Helen (Nechiporenko)	
29 Kenneth Walter McCasland	Kenneth G. & Eleanor (Corbett)	
29 Keith Winfield McCasland	Kenneth G. & Eleanor (Corbett)	
29 Bradford Jacome	John & Amelia I. (Furtado)	
31 Anne Louise Mallette	Dolor M. & Nancy (Baker)	
June:		
2 Jacqueline Lucille Shaffer	Larry E. Jr. & Carolyn L. (Carter)	
3 Phyllis Virginia Cogswell	Sterling L. & Phyllis V. (Allen)	
4 Mary Margaret Hathon	William I. & Mary M. (Hunt)	
5		
7 John Wayne Sylvia	John F. Jr. & Mary S. (Araujo)	
7 Deborah Anne Miskell	Joseph B. Jr. & Betty J. (Sample)	
9 Marilyn Jane Moran	James F. & Mildred N. (Valois)	
10 John Reed Friar, Jr.	John R. & Dorothea (Churchill-Longman)	
13 Louis Antone Pina, Jr.	Louis A. & Dorothy S. (Souza)	
17 Sandra May Souza	Edward W. & Kathryn J. (Allen)	
21 Kevin Lee Scharff	John M. & Martha W. (Gustavus)	
24 Arnold Sayles Allen, Jr.	Arnold S. & Esther E. (Stone)	
25 Wendy Sue Warren	William O. & Theresa E. (Moran)	
26 Laura Marie Nystrum	Conrad P. & June M. (Lawrence)	
July:		
1 Michael Elwin Miller	Jesse C. & Rita J. (Cassady)	
2 Michael Roderick Halstad	Owen M. & Joan M. (Barrow)	
2 Juanita Toinette Fernandez	Eduardo L. & Clara C. (Pacheco)	
2 Stephen Andrew VanTol	Warren R. & Bella J. (Shephard)	
2 Richard Norris Pantan	Richard A. & Gwendolyn (Norris)	
3 Douglas Arthur Lopes	Arthur R. & Beatrice (Soares)	
5 Deborah Noemia Romiza	Joseph P. Jr. & Emily E. (Lopes)	
6 Sandra Lee Works	William J. & Alberta (Goguen)	
8 Richard Albert Sample, Jr.	Richard A. & Ernestine (Illgen)	
10 Mary Taylor Burtis	William E. & Jean (Cobb)	
10		
11 John Phillip Ballentine	George F. Jr. & Isabel (Handy)	
14 Dennis James Dewyngaert	Gaston A. & Stella R. (Cantin)	
14 Steven Ralph Rabasa	Ralph & Cecelia R. (Borges)	
15 Paul Allen Morris	Eugene M. & Freda E. (March)	
16 David Winthrop Houde	Joseph H. C. & Berniece E. (Sylvia)	
16	Ruby & Angelina (Andrade)	
29 Margaret Ellen Dailey	Albert E. & Sophia K. (Lewis)	
August:		
3 Paula Rose Bartolomei	Daniel V. & Carmela F. (Capuano)	
3 Paul Joseph Denton	Joseph H. Jr. & Flossie (Nesbitt)	
6 Bruce Alan Wydick	Robert W. & Peggy J. (Norman)	
8 Mary Hannon	Thomas & Paula (Feuce)	

Date

Name

Parents

August:

10	Carolyn Anne Delaney	Gordon E. & Donna (Ellis)
10	Gladys Marie Pires	Roche R. & Lucy (Andrews)
10	Rita Maria Saccomandi	John C. & Maria (Muzzolini)
11	Diane Gail Kenney	Clyde W. & Wanda R. (Keeney)
11	Kurt William Motta	William & Emma (Medeiros)
11	Barbara Ann Morris	Arthur E. & Georgia E. (Coyle)
13	Susanne Sheron Wessner	Herman E. & Claire (Breivogel)
13	Lynne Susan Diehl	Warren V. & Evelyn W. (Rewis)
15	Sandra Lynn Alves	Richard P. & Adeline (Lomba)
15	Robert Allan Fay	John J. Jr. & Eleanor (MacMillan)
16	Louis Pacheco Romiza, Jr.	Louis P. & Margaret M. (Medeiros)
19	Kenneth Calvin Gallion, Jr.	Kenneth C. & Florence (Lino)
20	Karl Michael Hayes	Kenneth O. & Doris E. (Bailey)
20	.....
21	Susan White	Manuel S. & Cecelia (Dutra)
22	..... Cromwell	Harold H. & Hilda (Grace)
25	Sharon Lillian Miranda	Michael R. & Mary (Rezendes)
25	Kathryn Ann Szent-Gyorgyi	Andrew G. & Eva M. (Szentkiralyi)
26	Kenneth Richard Breivogel	Richard J. & Barbara (Brooks)
29	.....
29	Ronald Garcia	Roy J. & Louisa (Jonas)
30	Richard Warren Drew, Jr.	Richard W. & Louise A. (Fernez)
31	Peter Raymond Malish	Raymond A. & Otilie (Plhak-ova)

September:

2	John Kimbel Robbins	Joseph A. & Katherine M. (Grant)
3	Judy May Crocker	Howard R. & Julia (Ferreira)
4	Jane Marie Atkins	Thomas Q. & Mary J. (Fernandes)
5	Wayne Joseph Pacheco	Joseph B. & Irene (Romiza)
6	Susan Virginia Gillette	George E. & Sally J. (Phillips)
9	Susan Marie Pimental	Arthur D. & Cecilia (Pimental)
12	Johan Sambade	Joseph A. & Barbara C. (Cummings)
12	Frances Louise Almeida	William & Hortencia M. (DeMello)
17	Jeannine Marie MacQuarrie	Donald W. & Ruthe O. (Waters)
20	Allan David Moniz	Adlein & Sarah (Figuerido)
24	John Souza, Jr.	John & Belmeida P. (Lema)
29	Candace Lee Crocker	Earle W. & June V. (Hammond)
30	..... O'Brien	John F. & Beatrice I. (LeBlanc)

October:

2	Sharon Louise Sylvia	George D. & Sylvia M. (Moniz)
5	James Ross Demetras	Ross & Mary (Vomvouras)
6	Albert Lane Bradley, Jr.	Albert L. & Eleanorose (Boyle)
7	John Lovejoy Chase	Joseph & Elizabeth (Lovejoy)
8	Frank Edward Custer	Joseph E. & Josephine (Fernandes)
10	Rebecca Elizabeth Hoadley	Lloyd D. & Anne L. (Coleman)
12	Peter Morgan Frost	Robert T. M. & Rosemary (Layne)
12	..... Clark	John R. & Barbara J. (Johnston)
13	Paul Henriksen	John O. & Erdine F. (Collins)
14	Infant Ferreira	William J. & Lucille J. (Wright)
18	Linda Susan McInnis	William P. & Margaret P. (Backus)
18	..... Kamataris	Harry T. & Audrey M. (LaBrack)

Parents	Date	Name
October:		
18 Kerry Lynn Conley	Eugene O. & Elaine K. (Zenon)	
19 Leslie Joan Dutra	Michael P. & Alice (Soares)	
24 Faustina Marie Bonito	Faustine DeS. & Beatrice P. (Rosa)	
26 Edwin Lawrence Medeiros	Edwin & Dorothy S. (Pratt)	
28		
28 Josephine Lee Martell	James R. & Margaret C. (Mannix)	
29 Star Hope Leary	Thomas G. & Patricia E. (O'Connor)	
29 Denise Maureen Pine	James S. & Hilda (Souza)	
30 Linda Susan Mitchell	James M. & Margaret (Migsch)	
31 Deborah Vincent Griffin	Robert W. & Martha T. (Vincent)	
31 John Roger Augusta 3rd.	John R. Jr. & Jeanne R. (Lafond)	
November:		
1 Michael Loren Welch	Richard L. & Angeline (Figuerido)	
2 Dominga Pina	Frank L. & Matilda (Tavares)	
2 Michael Stuart Skeen	Kenneth LeR. & Mary B. (Balmer)	
3 Richard Edmund Sayles, Jr.	Richard E. & Lois E. (White)	
3 Jeremy Lynn Smoller	Frank & Shirley J. (Shepard)	
5 Richard Dennis Buguey	Walter K. Jr. & Margaret (Perrault)	
8 Henry Albert Peck	Leighton F. & Myrtle V. (Kay)	
8 Sandra Lee Halady	Frank L. & Barbara M. (Eldredge)	
11 Richard Allen Metzger	John C. & Katheryn G. (Wells)	
13 Sharon Whitney Perry	Lawrence W. & Florence E. (Neal)	
15 Pamela Leora Bosworth	Russell H. & Leora (Jahn)	
17 Doris Lillard McCarthy	Gerald & Frances B. (Hilton)	
17 David John Creighton	George H. & Anna K. (Lyons)	
22 Patricia Ann Benham	Gerald S. & Anna P. (Diggins)	
24 Beverly Joanne Lindemann	Herbert E. & Beverly B. (Douglas)	
24 Bruce Earl Llewellyn	Lawrence S. & Mary E. (Stoebener)	
24 Theodore John Karalekas	John T. & Freda E. (Ellis)	
December:		
1 John Motte	John Jr. & Beatrice I. (Edlund)	
1 Robert Edmund Polley, Jr.	Robert E. & Gladys K. (Ellis)	
3 James Lawley Wormelle	Frederick W. & Beatrice (Phillips)	
6 Roger Lee Savery, Jr.	Roger L. & Cleo D. (Richardson)	
7 Wayne Edwin Bassett	Howard & Marie M. (Johnson)	
10 Mathew Wayne Silva	Casmira & Marie (Oreche)	
11 Brenda Marie Servis	Richard A. & Alice M. (Nantz)	
11 Vickie Selma Covington	James V. & Lola (Fore)	
12 John Patrick McLean	Frank E. & Gloria R. (Washburn)	
14 Patricia Jean Vieira	Antone & Agnes (DeSouza)	
17 Cathy Ellen Cole	Grover B. & Guinivere (Hinckley)	
19 Barry Steven Springer	Robert K. & Celia (Fonseca)	
20 Corinne Baker	William C. & Evelyn J. (Parker)	
24 Gary Stephen Stone	Walter E. Jr. & Hilda (Figuerido)	
26 Stephen Douglas Morin	Joseph C. A. & Hope C. (Cheverie)	

Marriages Recorded in Falmouth

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January:

- 3 Howard Stanley Donovan and Anne Walenten, both of Falmouth.
- 6 David Everett Ellis and Bernice Helen Gregory, both of Falmouth.
- 7 Delton Isaac Hutchinson of Vineland, N. J. and Emma Bento Pacheco of Falmouth.
- 7 Robert Keith Springer of Lorain, Ohio and Cecelia Fonseca of Falmouth.
- 7 Gile Moniz and Mary Estella Borges, both of Falmouth.
- 9 Charles Richard Sarver of Freeport, Penna. and Dolores Ellen DeLong of McGrann, Penna.
- 10 Roy Lorne Westcott of Winthrop and Ruth Edwin Trickett of Falmouth.
- 12 Donald Bernard Lehy and Linda Kay Erskine, both of Falmouth.
- 15 William Lafayette Oliver, Jr. of Falmouth and Gloria Julianna Fike of Osterville.
- 21 William Joseph McIntyre of Syracuse, N. Y. and Norma Jean Fish of Falmouth.
- 21 Reuben W. Servis, Jr. and Lorraine Mogardo, both of Falmouth.
- 21 John Santos and Julia (Corriea) Lopes, both of Falmouth.
- 29 Thomas James Hartnett of Marblehead and Sophie Norman (Clark) Marshard of Falmouth.

February:

- 5 John Pena Andrade of Falmouth and Jacqueline Harmon Rose of Harwich.
- 11 Paul J. Adams of Dallas, Texas and Hermine Mary Goguen of Falmouth.
- 13 Charles Lamb and Muriel Mary (White) Law, both of Falmouth.
- 19 Daniel Ferreira of Falmouth and Louise May Sevieri of Boston.

March:

- 11 Michael Roderick Miranda and Mary Rezendes, both of Falmouth.

April:

- 1 Irvin Edward Gallagher and Julia Theresa Mara, both of Brockton.
- 1 Vernon Lester McKinney of Beckley, W. Va. and Agnes (Costa) Maynard of Falmouth.
- 10 Lowell Kenneth Schmid of Santa Ana, Calif. and Umbria M. Johnson of Nashville, Tenn.
- 14 John Carreiro, Jr. of Falmouth and Mary W. (Speight) Kelly of Harwich.
- 15 Robert J. Broadley of Natick and Margaret A. Simons of Falmouth.
- 15 Paul Fish of Falmouth and Elizabeth Lillian Cohen of Springfield.
- 19 Ronald Murray Densmore of Falmouth and Mary Louise McKenna of Taunton.
- 22 George Edward Pimental and Barbara Ruth Hampton, both of Falmouth.
- 26 James Russell Martell of Falmouth and Margaret Catherine Mannix of Watertown.
- 29 Raleigh Costa and Alice Glinton Trow, both of Falmouth.
- 30 John Carmen Gentile of Summit, N. J. and Priscilla Swift Bowerman of New Brunswick, N. J.

May:

- 3 Clarence Wilbur Grossman of Reading, Penna. and Elizabeth Jane Brashears of Greensboro, N. C.
- 6 Richard Story Heath and Florence Ellen Sides, both of Worcester.
- 6 William Robert Medeiros and Irene (Rose) Gersper, both of Falmouth.
- 13 Robert Carlton Swenson and Barbara Louise Hazelton, both of Falmouth.
- 18 Edward Linwood Booze of Ronceverte, W. Va. and Kathleen Laura Tracey of McKinley, Me.
- 20 Richard Wardwell Mahn and Shirley Mae Rideout, both of Falmouth.
- 20 Richard Robert Fraser and Betty Lou Sisson, both of Falmouth.
- 20 Joseph Costa, Jr. of Taunton and Elsie Marshall of Falmouth.
- 27 Gerard Paul Labute of Mashpee and Jane Dean of Falmouth.
- 28 Stacey Dana Peters of Mashpee and Gloria Rosalyn Cash of Falmouth.

June:

- 3 Manuel P. Aguiar of Fall River and Irene Claire (DeMello) Carreiro of Falmouth.
- 3 William Paul Polifka of East Orange, N. J. and Marilyn Holbrook Merrill of Falmouth.
- 3 David Whitcomb Lovering of Needham and Ruth Mildred Louise Carlson of Falmouth.
- 5 James Gouviea of Falmouth and Shirley L. Pittsley of Middleboro.
- 9 Manuel Carreiro, Jr. and Mary Louise (Cannon) Tower, both of Falmouth.
- 10 Lester Taft Crane, Jr. and Louise Elizabeth Dudley, both of Falmouth.
- 10 George Campbell Lawrence of Falmouth and Barbara Lee Nelson of Sanford, Maine.

- 10 Eugene Carl Shore of Colton, Oregon and Agnes Theresa Bearese of Bronx, N. Y.
- 10 George Walter Burgess and Aldina Souza Valerio, both of Falmouth.
- 10 Anthony Sousa Cunha of Falmouth and Dolores Francine Partain of Providence, R. I.
- 17 Lawrence Joseph Barrett of Lynn and Doris Marilyn Lumbert of Falmouth.
- 17 William Henry Rader, Jr. of Ridgefield, N. J. and Barbara Louise Brown of Falmouth.
- 18 George Earl Towers of Falmouth and Jeanne Katherine Coen of Watertown.
- 19 Arthur Elmer Davis of Falmouth and Connie Hernandez of New York, N. Y.
- 24 David Denison of New York, N. Y. and Patricia Marie Mooney of Falmouth.
- 24 Joseph Antone Mergl of Cleveland, Ohio and Dorothy Mildred Silva of Falmouth.
- 27 Eduardo Lopez Fernandez and Clara Constance Pacheco, both of Falmouth.

July:

- 3 William Sherman Butcher of West Newton and Patricia Anne Blevins of Cambridge.
- 7 Seaver Richardson Harlow and Deborah Lawrence, both of Falmouth.
- 8 Calvin Crane Nelson, Jr. and Stella Mogardo, both of Falmouth.
- 12 Robert Paul Leary and Joan McGreevy, both of Toledo, Ohio.
- 15 Roy Pinto and Lillian Edna (Ashley) Alves, both of Falmouth.
- 15 Vasco Richard Pires and Mary Lillian (Dias) Andrews, both of Falmouth.
- 15 Frank Alvin Dreyer of Falmouth and Mary Dwight Rudd of Boston.
- 15 Martin Henry Sullivan 3rd of Falmouth and Jean Elizabeth McKenzie of Bourne.

- 15 Charles Brush Vail and Phyllis Louise Fisher, both of Falmouth.
- 15 Robert Howard Bidwell of New York, N. Y. and Virginia Ann Moor of Pittsburgh, Penna.
- 18 John Andrew Kelley and Isabel Francis (Cavanaugh) Aitken, both of Falmouth.
- 22 James Joseph McManus of Westfield and Philomena O. Genosi of Springfield.
- 24 Phillip Wyatt Harwood of Winston-Salem, N. C. and Dorothy May Silva of Falmouth.

August:

- 5 James E. Preble of Falmouth and Gertrude L. Hall of Calais, Me.
- 5 Fred Homer Rhye of Rockingham, N. C. and Louise Erskine of Falmouth.
- 5 John Medeiros and Hilda Ann Ray, both of Falmouth.
- 14 Richard Teller Crane of Falmouth and Lucille (Parham) Cameron of Petersburg, Va.
- 19 Richard Jerome Grace of Barnstable and Amelia Ferro (Almeida) Fernandes of Falmouth.
- 19 Wadsworth Huntington Webber, Jr. and Dorothy Steele Pettengill, both of Newton.
- 19 Theodore Henry Stegmaier, Jr. of Middleboro and Elaine Mary Wagner of Falmouth.
- 20 Norman Mervin Cotter and Charlotte Winifred Martin, both of Falmouth.
- 26 Hazen Glenwood MacDonald of Barnstable and Arlene Eunice MacDougall of Falmouth.
- 27 William Joseph Lopes of Falmouth and Norma Julia Conti of Providence, R. I.
- 29 Edgar Leonard Bricker of Reading, Penna. and Patty Sue Lawton of Central City, Ky.
- 29 John Cudahy Ferneding of Milwaukee, Wis. and Patricia Rose Ames Froio of Brockton.
- 30 Ian David William Cramer and Emily Ann (Lillie) Walton, both of St. Louis, Mo.

September:

- 2 Peter Jay Lagermann of Englewood, N. J. and Dorothy Alton of Falmouth.
- 2 Robert Ray Redfield of Chicago, Ill. and Elizabeth Margaret Gasvoda of Gary, Ind.
- 8 L. D. Gresham of Compton, Calif. and Barbara Eaton Geggatt of Falmouth.
- 8 Thomas James Army of Worcester and Greta Louise Garland of Falmouth.
- 9 William Turner Whitmore of Marblehead Neck and Virginia Vail of Falmouth.
- 9 Sylvester John Hudzinski and Julio Mary Kasa, both of Dupont, Penna.
- 10 Russel Field Sullivan of Falmouth and Barbara Ann Dorlay of Quincy.
- 15 William Henry Parker of Rumford, R. I. and Louise Mildred (Scott) Wright of Falmouth.
- 16 James Millard Wells of Tenaflly, N. J. and Lois Haven Crane of Leesburg, Va.
- 16 William E. C. Perry of Bourne and Gladys H. (Phinney) Braley of Falmouth.
- 16 William Bonito and Norma Ferreira, both of Falmouth.
- 18 Walter John Nadoliski and Martha Lumbert Massie, both of Falmouth.
- 30 Richard Henry Hopkins, Jr. of Falmouth and Constance Marie Figueiredo of Marion.
- 30 William Anthony Burke of Milton and Patricia Ann Sylvia of Falmouth.

October:

- 1 Ernest Lincoln Upton of Falmouth and Elizabeth Henrietta Palmer of Bourne.
- 5 Lewis Perce Carpenter and Alice Matilda (Anderson) Willard, both of Scituate.
- 7 Richard Alexander Fuller of Falmouth and Ethel Miriam Carder of Milton.

- 12 John Joseph Farrell 2nd of Falmouth and Alvarina M. Costa of Dartmouth.
- 12 Antone Medeiros, Jr. and Joan D. Robbins, both of Falmouth.
- 12 Andrew Harlow Ellis of Boston and Joyce Paula Silhavy of Brookline.
- 13 Antone G. Fernandes and Charlotte S. Dickerman, both of Falmouth.
- 14 John McCall Browne of Quincy and Louise Roberts Jacobs of Lynn.
- 14 Charles Barrows of Falmouth and Mamie Johnson of Boston.
- 16 Alexander Joseph Cahoon and Beverly Ethel Farris, both of Falmouth.
- 19 Donald Wayne Spry of VanWert, Ohio and Marily Joyce Meihls of Mendon, Ohio.
- 21 Roland Prescott Pena of New Bedford and Marcianna Fonseca of Falmouth.
- 21 David Sanford Johnson of Pittsburgh, Penna. and Delores Emma DeShong of Verona, Penna.
- 26 Albert E. Nichols of Wareham and Ellen Ralston (Rodericks) of Brattleboro, Vt.
- 28 Robert Alfred Fletcher and Alice Marie Hastings, both of Oakmont, Penna.
- 28 Henry Joseph Donnelly of Danbury, Conn. and Helen Medeiros of Falmouth.
- 28 Stephen M. Kluchenek of Chicago, Ill. and Ruth Ann Rose of Falmouth.

November:

- 9 Charles Roderick of Falmouth and Matilde Santos of New Bedford.
- 11 Walter Ward Lucas and Madeline Souza Bonito, both of Falmouth.
- 11 Winfield Lewis Mason, Jr. of Lebanon, N. H. and Frances Marie Irving of Falmouth.

- 12 John Roger Williams and Catherine Anna Grant, both of Falmouth.
- 23 Thomas Edward Marks of Wilson, N. Y. and Mary Lucinda Sambade of Falmouth.
- 25 Jacob John LaPort and Dorothy Mae Cronk, both of Lockport, N. Y.
- 26 Manuel Botelho of Falmouth and Myrtle Olive (Boyland) Huff of Everett.
- 23 Leo Albert Buckley of Brockton and Elizabeth Ellen Hul-ten of Falmouth.
- 27 Bradley Irvin Meserve and June Anderson (Storer) Justa-son, both of Falmouth.

December:

- 2 Lawrence Frederick Roper of Social Circle, Ga. and Ther-esa Catherine White of Falmouth.
- 2 Walter F. Westlake of Sunderland and Lila A. Call of Colrain.
- 2 John Andrade of Falmouth and Dominga Marie Alves of Wareham.
- 2 Zane Ralph Miller Meixner and Gertrude Ruth (Dickin-son) Beer, both of Pittsburgh, Penna.
- 4 Eugene Orville Hanson of Willmar, Minn. and Arlene Katherine Quast of Litchfield, Minn.
- 6 Ralph Eugene Tobias of Mechanicsburg, Ohio and Doris Mary Gervais of Falmouth.
- 9 Michael Julian Carbone and Gertrude McNally, both of New Haven, Conn.
- 12 Leonard W. Moore of Kopperl, Texas and Madeline (Nick-erson) Minor of Falmouth.
- 16 Gordon Arvis Newton of Pear Valley, Texas and Ducilia Carvalho of Falmouth.
- 16 Reginald Harmon Irving, Jr. of Falmouth and June Eliz-abeth Kershaw of Sandwich.
- 16 Jimmy Williams of Memphis, Tenn. and Mary Ann Up-ham of Tucson, Ariz.

- 19 Salvatore Joseph Labate of Philadelphia, Penna. and Mary Anne Rizzo of New York City, N. Y.
- 26 William Ralph Kuhn and Daphne Hazel (Travers) Bible, both of Falmouth.
- 27 Lester Elmer Silva and Lillian Oliver, both of Falmouth.
- 27 Manuel Alves Lomba Teca and Amelia Elizabeth (Pereira) Costa, both of Falmouth.
- 30 James Paul Whitcomb of Oakfield, N. Y. and Mildred Sarah Somers of Falmouth.
- 30 Kenneth Alfred Shepherd and Elsie Frances Cahoon, both of Falmouth.
- 31 Elmore Swain, Jr. of Newport, R. I. and Janice Lyon of Wareham.
- 31 Malcolm Edwin Macdonald and Patricia Ruth Leonard, both of Falmouth.

Deaths Recorded in Falmouth

1950

Date		Age		
		Yrs.	Mos.	Dys.
January:				
2	Catherine (Souza) Lopes	78	5	18
10	Henry Ducharme	46	9	16
12	Alice Moore Marston	76	7	13
13	Everett F. Berry	34	5	27
15	Florence Evelyn (Page) Baldic	53	4	4
16	Howard L. Pierce	84	6	23
21	Katherine Alice Jennings	76	4	12
22	Joseph A. Mayo	72	6	0
23	George Munyan	76	7	12
24	Roger S. Sierra	38	3	18
February:				
4	William E. Ellis	76	10	20
7	James Patrick Mulligan	83	6	29
8	Alverino deSouza	33	....	....
9	William Sproat Harris	77	3	4
20	Harold Otis Hunt	67	11	14
25	Joaquin Martin Driggs	85	....	....
March:				
4	Frank Victorino Cabral	84	6	20
6	Clarence H. Shanks	47	10	27
13	Frederick Sheldon	71	4	11
19	Maria J. (DeCosta) Costa	103	3	1

Date		Age		
		Yrs.	Mos.	Dys.
20	Joseph Mendes	73	....	....
20	Robert F. Krauter	1	2	13
22	Wallace E. Young	68	1	25
22	Francis J. Barry	47	10	22

April:

3	Elisha McLane	74	3	26
5	Mary Dean Fish	76	2	27
11	Antone Jason DeMello	59	5	27
12	Elbert Louis Remsburg	48	2	11
12	Harry Gould	76	8	26
13	David W. Cunningham	1	3	4
17	Lillian K. Hazelton	61	10	2
18	Mary Elizabeth Smith	73	....	....
19	Stanton David Bullock	81	2	19
19	Ellen Hurley	64	....	....
21	Thomas Lawrence Swift	82	11	....
29	Alexander Roderick MacKay	84	3	7

May:

2	Frances F. Booker	51	11	29
4	Amelia M. Rose	81	4	3
4	Stillborn			
7	Maria C. Moniz	67	....	....
12	Stillborn			
14	Bill Craig Routt	29	5	18
15	Oswald H. Beames	58	9	14
23	Agnes Wicks	75	....	....
27	Leland Wheelock Harvey	49	0	24

June:

14	Harvey Leo Maney	70	10	19
18	Thomas Malchman	78	....	....
22	Willie McNeal	28	4	27
22	Jose Souza Cocillo	55	5	20
30	.....		

Date		Yrs.	Age	
			Mos.	Dys.
July:				
2	Alicia Frances Buckley	50	....	....
9	Frederick Newton Nickerson	82	3	5
9	Jeremiah James Kelligrew	62	11	20
10	Ernest E. Valerio	39	....	....
10	Stillborn			
11	Ellen Frances Veronica Green	82	1	17
16	Arthur Collins Davis	62	3	3
21	Walter Edwin Hurrell	49	10	9
25	Frederick L. Collins	68	4	2
29	Florence A. Bourne	82	....	5
31	Helen Josephine Lumbert	78	10	22
August:				
11	Manuel Jesse Valerio	63	8	....
20	Stillborn			
23	Hilda Hill	53	....	....
27	Georgine M. Adams	78	9	19
28	Aaron Hirsch	70	....	....
29	Stillborn			
September:				
2	Louisa W. Washburn	83	10	....
5	Alma Duncalf	61	1	17
10	Benjamin M. Bevelander	65	4	0
14	Antone DeSylvia	66	9	17
20	William A. Wrightington	36	5	....
21	Arthur E. Adams	75	11	0
22	Bruce McKeen Smith	73	10	6
23	Margaret Johnston	65	6	4
24	Lyman Henry Davis	62	10	12
27	William Antone	0	2	13
October:				
4	Jamima Elizabeth Sinnett	92	7	25
14	(Infant) Ferreira			1 hr.
29	Anna Larson Sabens	64	1	23

Date		Age		
		Yrs.	Mos.	Dys.
November:				
5	Grace G. Griffin	66	11	4
8	Henry Albert Peck		3	hrs.
8	Joseph E. Wing	58	2	8
13	James Bancroft	71	5	17
20	Percy Theodore Sprague	71	6	4
24	George Max Augustowski	24	9	2
30	Lillian A. Breese	60	11	25

December:

1	Julia M. Mederos	75	....	....
3	Arleen Burke	24	8	23
5	Ethel A. Hardy	68	10	18
7	Bertha Elizabeth Ewell	69	6	6
10	Frederick W. Dalzell	77	8	10
11	Lorraine C. Rapoza	16	4	18
16	Mary B. Tierney	57	5	0
17	Norma Barrows	22	1	22
20	Benno A. Bernstein	58	1	6
22	Chester Arthur Wright	53	10	16
23	Mary Julia Couto	66	2	20
27	Maria L. Azevedo	76	10	24
29	Mary Georgiana Dias	61	3	15
31	Alexander Marshall	81	9	18
31	Hattie A. Phinney	86	3	17

**DIED ELSEWHERE AND BURIED IN FALMOUTH
NOT PREVIOUSLY REPORTED—1949**

Date		Age		
		Yrs.	Mos.	Dys.
January:				
18	Karl C. Lillie	44	....	....
	(Churchyard, Woods Hole)			

Date		Age		
		Yrs.	Mos.	Dys.
March:				
13	John Purnoa (Churchyard, Woods Hole)	68	2	12
April:				
27	Henry Maynard Kidder (Churchyard, Woods Hole)	66	....	....
September, 1948:				
5	Richard Chace Tolman (Ashes interred—Churchyard, Woods Hole Sept. 14, 1949)	67	6	1
December:				
5	Willis E. Plaxton (Churchyard, Woods Hole)	76	8	7

DIED ELSEWHERE AND BURIED IN FALMOUTH—1950

February:				
4	Marian Jeffries Means (Churchyard, Woods Hole)	68	10	9
March:				
16	Emma Jones (Oak Grove)	not given		
June:				
7	C. Frances Gamans (Oak Grove)	not given		
July:				
12	Elam Henderson (Ashes interred—Friends, July 20th)	92	1	15
September:				
24	Nellie F. Davis (Oak Grove)	not given		
27	William Antone (Old Town)	0	2	13

Report of Falmouth Housing Authority

On March 7, 1950 following the Town Election the Falmouth Housing Authority organized as follows:

Chairman	John P. Sylvia, Jr.
Vice Chairman	Frank E. Worcester
Treasurer	Delmar R. Jenkins
Assistant Treasurer	Alvan L. Nickerson
Secretary	Niles A. Peterson, Jr.

Roland H. Choate was continued in office as Executive Director.

Completion of Construction

The construction of the 50 Cape Cod type houses of the Falmouth Housing Project continued during the winter and spring of 1950. Additional contracts were let for equipment and furnishings such as with the Westinghouse Electric Supply Company for 25 refrigerators; with the Frigidaire Sales Corporation for 25 Frigidaire refrigerators; with the Harrison Plumbing Supply Company of Boston for 50 Florence gas stoves; and for various other items such as equipment for bottled gas, electric meters, and other items.

During the progress of the work and as occasions therefor arose, various decisions were made by the Architect and /or by the Falmouth Housing Authority for certain extra work or materials as seemed advisable or necessary. Extra work consisted of such matters as having the contractor supply wooden shutters for all window openings in all buildings in substitution of the false chimneys provided for by specifications; painting the wooden shutters which in the opinion of

the Board added considerably to the appearance of the different houses and warranted the additional expense; installation of 18 doors for the utility rooms as recommended by the Building Inspector; installation of catch basins and concrete pipe; providing additional fill to raise the grade in the rear of certain house, etc. The total cost of the entire project (including the acquisition of the land) was thereby increased from the original financial contract with the Commonwealth of Massachusetts of \$534,000.00 to the final amount of \$547,000.00. In view of the fact that it had become necessary to install a separate sewerage filter system in the area of the Falmouth Housing Authority, this additional cost, arising from the extra work, changes and substitutions, was considered reasonable and was readily approved by the State Housing Board.

Selection of Veterans as Tenants

The many applications of veterans who desired to become tenants of these 50 houses were carefully investigated in all respects and at the meeting held on June 26, 1950 the members of the Falmouth Housing Authority allocated the entire 50 of these houses to 50 of the applicants.

Occupancy of Houses

On June 29, as of 4:30 p. m. the Falmouth Housing Authority accepted for occupancy purposes the entire 50 houses constructed by the contractor, Francis C. Dolan & Son. The sewerage filter system installed by him was also then accepted. Those veterans selected as tenants immediately commenced to move in to these homes and by July 1st, 1950 almost all of the houses were occupied.

Dedication of Site

Formal dedication exercises of the site of the Falmouth Housing Authority were held on July 1, 1950 at which time the site was officially opened by Governor Paul A. Dever who spoke briefly but with enthusiastic approval of the attractive types of the houses, the excellent site and the general favorable appearance of the entire area and of the worthiness of this housing project as an aid to our veterans. Following the

dedication, all of those connected with this project and many others who were invited were the guests of Francis C. Dolan, the Contractor, at a dinner tendered by him to Governor Dever and his guests at the Surrey Room on Main Street, Falmouth.

Financial Arrangements

The Contract for Financial Assistance with the Commonwealth of Massachusetts was in the sum of \$534,000.00.

The first series of notes issued by the Falmouth Housing Authority to cover the development cost were in the sum of \$515,000.00. These notes became due and payable. To pay these and the contracts, a second series of short term notes in the sum of \$534,000.00 were prepared and duly advertised. The successful bidder was the Chase National Bank of New York in combination with C. J. Devine & Co. and Solomon Bros. & Hutzler, the interest rate bid being 96/100% with a premium of \$4.00. Temporary notes of the Falmouth Housing Authority were thereupon issued to cover the interval remaining until the financing could be taken care of by the issuance of the permanent bonds.

After due advertising and approval on December 14, 1950, at Boston, bids were received and publicly opened for \$547,000.00 serial bonds of the Falmouth Housing Authority maturing from one to forty years from the date of their issue. The successful bidder was the First National Bank of Chicago and Associates, their bid being accepted on that same date. The rate of interest is $1\frac{3}{4}\%$. There is a premium of \$8,450.00. The bonds were duly prepared through The Second National Bank of Boston which had been selected as the Bonding Agent for the Falmouth Housing Authority.

On December 13, the State of New York Banking Department had officially declared that these bonds were legal investments for savings banks in New York State.

The report came to the Falmouth Housing Authority that all these bonds were immediately disposed of following the award on December 14, 1950.

On January 16, 1951, 547 bonds of the Falmouth Housing Authority, each in the sum of \$1,000.00, with coupons attached thereto, were signed by the Chairman, signed and attested by the Executive Director and sealed with the seal of the Falmouth Housing Authority

As of January 1, 1951, the Falmouth Housing Authority is on its permanent 40-year basis; its bonds will mature yearly for the next 40 years payable in annual amounts running from \$10,000.00 for the first five years up to the last bond of \$19,000.00 in 1991. All of these bonds are guaranteed as to payment by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Supervision of Houses

Roland H. Choate who on November 1, 1949 had been chosen Executive Director was on June 19, 1950 put on the basis of an active Executive Director in charge of the maintenance and the supervision of the houses and the site of the Falmouth Housing Authority. His duties consist not only in the upkeep of the houses and grounds and repairs and incidentals, but also in the execution of leases with the tenants, collection of their deposits and the monthly rentals and of other dues such as payments for electric lights, water rates, etc. These duties have kept him very active and in the opinion of the Falmouth Housing Authority he has performed them very satisfactorily.

Conclusion

Regular meetings of the Falmouth Housing Authority are required to be held on the first Tuesday of each month. A great many additional and special meetings have been held. On many occasions members of the Falmouth Housing Authority have had to attend meetings at the State Housing Board in Boston and meetings elsewhere. Also, of course, they have at all times kept in close touch with all the construction work going on at the site. It is a pleasure to report that at almost all of the meetings of the Falmouth Housing Authority every member has been in attendance. Countless hours of their time have been given to this public project by all members and without any compensation whatever.

The entire 50 houses are occupied. There is always a fairly large waiting list of veteran applicants for any vacancies which may occur. Incidentally, there have been some vacancies in this short period of time from July 1st, all of which have been promptly filled by new veteran tenants. Every citizen and voter of the Town should visit this site of the Falmouth Housing Authority, view the houses and even visit some of the houses and thereby see for himself what has been done by this State-Aided veterans housing project.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN P. SYLVIA, JR.

FRANK E. WORCESTER

DELMAR R. JENKINS

ALVAN L. NICKERSON

NILES A. PETERSON, JR.

Members of the Falmouth
Housing Authority.

Special Investigating Committee

Report of Special Committee to Investigate the Exchange of a Portion of Goodwill Park for Land Bordering Long Pond.

**Honorable Board of Selectmen
Falmouth, Massachusetts**

Gentlemen:

This committee, consisting of the Planning Board, the Finance Board and the Park Board, was appointed under Article 96 of the 1949 Annual Town Meeting. The duty of the committee was to investigate the advisability of the Town exchanging a portion of the southeasterly corner of Goodwill Park for a parcel of land owned by Sidney W. Lawrence and bordering Long Pond as proposed by Frederick V. Lawrence, Inc.

The committee believed that it would be most advantageous for the Town to accept the offer made by Frederick V. Lawrence, Inc., if the exchange could be made without seriously destroying the beauty of Goodwill Park. The committee was cognizant of the wishes of those who so generously gave their land that all the people in Falmouth might enjoy it and it was the feeling of the committee that nothing should be done that would permanently detract from this area.

After careful examination of the site an area was established which the committee believed could be exchanged without seriously affecting the park land. However, in order to insure the protection of Goodwill Park, it was unanimously

voted to recommend that the Town offer this land to Frederick V. Lawrence, Inc. with the following restrictions:

1. The banks of the excavation shall at all times have a 1:1 slope during the progress of the work.
2. The banks shall not extend beyond the limits designated above and shall be left with a 1:1 slope when the excavation is completed.
3. The area shall be rehabilitated when excavation is completed by covering the area with the topsoil stripped from the site and by seeding and planting.
4. A monthly deposit by Frederick V. Lawrence, Inc. of one cent for each cubic yard of excavation removed shall be made in the Falmouth National Bank, said funds to be returned when rehabilitation is completed to the satisfaction of the Park Commissioners.
5. At the completion of the excavation the land designated as Parcel A shall be deeded back to the Town.

This offer was submitted to and accepted by Frederick V. Lawrence, Inc. and an article has been inserted in the warrant for the 1951 Annual Town Meeting recommending the exchange.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE HARRISON BIGELOW, Chm.

Special Investigating Committee.

Report of the Retirement Board

Municipal Contributory Retirement System

FINANCIAL REPORT

Receipts:

Town Appropriation—		
Pension Fund	\$4,736.00	
Contributions from Members—		
Group A	5,251.61	
Group B	3,452.38	
		\$13,439.99
Investment Income—		
Savings Bank	\$85.00	
Co-operative Bank	60.00	
U. S. Bonds	1,537.50	
		1,682.50
Cash on deposit Jan. 1, 1950		3,691.70
Total		\$18,814.19

Payments:

Investments—		
U. S. Bonds		\$6,000.00
Contributions and Interest Refunded—		
Group A	\$488.63	
Group B	2,189.87	
		2,678.50

Pensions and Annuities—	
Group A	3,700.28
Administration Expense—	
Office Expense	18.75
Cash on deposit Dec. 31, 1950	6,416.66
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Total	\$18,814.19

BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31, 1950

Assets:

Deposit Falmouth National Bank	\$6,416.66	
Deposit Wareham Savings Bank	4,000.00	
Co-operative Bank Shares	2,000.00	
United States Bonds	64,500.00	
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		\$76,916.66

Liabilities:

Annuity Savings Fund	\$47,288.49	
Annuity Reserve Fund	1,059.41	
Pension Fund	25,830.34	
Military Service Fund	673.21	
Expense Fund	411.30	
Investment Income	1,653.91	
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		\$76,916.66

Respectfully submitted,

RAWSON C. JENKINS, Chairman

GEORGE G. FERRIS, Secretary

GEORGE A. GRIFFIN

Retirement Board.

Report of the Town Accountant

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Herewith submitted is my twenty-second annual report covering the financial transactions of the town for the year ending December 31, 1950.

RECEIPTS

GENERAL REVENUE

Taxes:

Current Year—	
Real Estate	\$817,358.52
Personal	84,334.62
Polls	4,506.00
Previous Years—	
Real Estate	69,052.00
Personal	2,894.20
Polls	6.00
Tax Title Redemption	28.96
From State—	
Income	67,867.00
Corporation	58,352.78
Public Service	1,446.97
Loss of Taxes	416.84

\$1,106,263.89

Licenses & Permits:

Liquor	\$16,016.00
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All Other—

Auctioneers	2.00
Auto Dealers	135.00
Camps	1.50
Circus	100.00
Emergency Employment	2.00
Firearms	12.00
Garbage	4.00
Gasoline & Garage	167.00
Innholders	170.00
Junk	10.00
Kerosene, Fuel Oil, etc.	449.50
Lodging House	254.00
Massage	2.00
Milk	45.50
Nursery Schools	3.00
Oil Burners	12.50
Oleomargarine	10.00
Pasteurization	10.00
Pedlars, State	96.00
Pedlars, Town	15.00
Plumbing	928.00
Sale of Guns	2.00
Shellfish	1,167.50
Shellfish Grants	10.00
Taxi & Bus	200.00
Theatre	20.00
Transient Venders	75.00
Victuallers	395.00
Wood Alcohol	24.00

\$20,338.50

Fines:

Court	\$655.00
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Grants & Gifts:

Federal—

O.A.A.—Administration	\$3,559.15
O.A.A.—Assistance	37,458.17
A.D.C.—Administration	1,863.41
A.D.C.—Aid	22,256.27
Geo. Barden Account	375.00
Smith-Hughes Fund	370.99

State—

Vocational Education	3,334.25
School Transportation	15,367.66
O.A.A. Meal Tax	2,005.21

County—

Dog Licenses	1,044.52
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\$87,634.63

Privileges:

Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes—

Current Year	\$56,145.67
Previous Years	10,991.55

\$67,137.22

All Other:

In Lieu of Taxes	\$3,492.40
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DEPARTMENTAL REVENUE

General Government:

Treasurer	\$3.00
Collector	503.80
Town Clerk	37.50
Town Hall	800.00

\$1,344.30

Protection of Persons & Property:

Fire Dept.	\$40.50
Ambulance Dept.	1,276.00
Sealer's Dept.	453.65
Services of Dog Officer	346.50
Fisheries	200.00

\$2,316.65

Health & Sanitation:

Contagious Diseases	\$699.92
Tuberculosis	3,901.58
All Other	5.00

\$4,606.50

Highways:

Joint Construction—	
State	\$23,037.28
County	11,518.66

\$34,555.94

Charities:

Infirmery	\$830.00
Reimbursement for Relief—	
State	10,974.79
Cities & Towns	3,544.91
Individuals	293.00
Reimbursement for A.D.C.—	
State	18,089.37
Reimbursement for O.A.A.—	
State	43,624.23
Cities & Towns	1,918.25
Recovery	161.04
Reimbursement for Veterans' Benefits—	
State	4,977.18
Cities & Towns	75.40

\$84,488.17

Schools:

Tuition & Transportation of State Wards	\$647.85	
Other Tuition	3,029.73	
Sale of Books & Supplies	264.86	
All Other	190.50	
	<hr/>	\$4,132.94

Special School Lunch 21,838.42

Athletic Fund 1,059.02

Libraries:

Fines & Sales	\$286.49	
Unclaimed Deposits	45.00	
	<hr/>	\$331.49

Recreations:

Bath House	\$1,266.43	
Beach Concessions	1,000.00	
Recreation Committee	1,411.46	
	<hr/>	\$3,677.89

Unclassified:

Comfort Station	\$3.10	
Sale of Real Estate	150.00	
All Other	76.50	
	<hr/>	\$229.60

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

Water Department:

Meter Rates	\$91,780.38
Schedule Rates	1,372.20

Guarantees	2,122.96	
Sale of Material	173.70	
Service Connections	8,941.80	
Liens Added to Taxes	1,119.56	
Other Liens	646.81	
All Other	548.06	
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		\$106,705.47

INTEREST

General:

Deferred Taxes	\$2,101.79	
Tax Titles	1.32	
Motor Vehicle Excise Taxes	68.73	
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		\$2,171.84

Trust Funds:

Cemetery Funds	\$1,636.24	
Lawrence Fund	419.57	
Jewett Fund	125.00	
Post-War Fund	725.27	
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		\$2,906.08

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Temporary Loans:

Anticipation of Revenue	8,000.00
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Public Service Loans:

Water Extensions	18,100.00
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AGENCY, TRUST & INVESTMENTS

Agency:

Dog Licenses	\$1,211.00	
Withholding Taxes	47,695.64	
		\$48,906.64

Trust & Investments:

Deposits for Cemetery Care	\$675.00	
Comfort Station Collections	173.10	
Bath House Collections	86.55	
Sale of Post-War Bonds	101,250.00	
		\$102,184.65

REFUNDS

Taxes:

Real Estate, 1945	\$13.43	
Real Estate, 1946	108.68	
Real Estate, 1947	123.72	
Real Estate, 1948	121.55	
Real Estate, 1949	173.00	
Motor Excise Taxes, 1949	.92	
		\$510.92

General Departments:

Current Year—

Certifying Notes	\$10.00
Police Dept.	3.00
Fire Dept.	52.07
Forest Warden's Dept.	9.96
Highway Dept.	125.05
Welfare Dept.	40.00
Aid to Dependent Children	185.70

Fed. Grant, A.D.C.—Aid	18.05
Old Age Assistance	494.80
Fed. Grant, O.A.A.—Assistance	251.50
Veterans' Benefits	645.43
School Dept.	19.92
Falmouth Library	10.00
Recreation Committee	50.50

\$1,915.98

Previous Years—

Health Dept.	\$138.04
Highway Dept.	6.80

\$144.84

Water Department:

Current Year	\$20.00
Previous Years	2.45

\$22.45

Total Receipts	\$1,735,671.43
Cash Balance, January 1, 1950	489,036.34
TOTAL	\$2,224,707.77

PAYMENTS

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Moderator:

Services	\$97.31
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Finance Committee:

Stenographer & Typing	\$156.00
Stationery & Postage	1.80
Printing & Advertising	614.10
Dues	10.00
Town Meeting Checkers	40.00
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	\$821.90

Selectmen's Department:

Salaries & Wages—	
Selectmen	\$3,600.00
Stenographer	1,040.00
Other Expense—	
Stationery & Postage	\$58.00
Printing & Advertising	744.54
Travel	57.46
Telephone	125.00
Office Supplies	39.87
Survey & Road Bounds	332.16
Reporting Town Meetings	790.80
Servicing Office Machines	82.90
Posting Warrants	40.00
Rental of Theatre	400.00
Dues	51.00
Entertaining Visitors	142.80
Civilian Defense	600.39
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	\$8,104.92

Selectmen's Department:

Salary Increases (1949)	282.50
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Selectmen's 1949 Bill:

Reporting Town Meeting	224.40
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Accountant's Department:

Salary & Wages—

Accountant	\$3,750.00
Stenographer	1,560.00
Vacation Substitute	50.00

Other Expense—

Stationery, Printing & Postage	116.08
Telephone	75.00
State Supplies	54.43
Office Supplies	176.54
Adding Machine Service	33.60
Travel	20.44
Dues	14.00
Typewriter Repairs	20.00

\$5,870.09

Accountant's Department:

Salary Increases (1949)	158.06
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Treasurer's Department:

Salary & Wages—

Treasurer	\$2,000.00
Clerical Assistants	2,496.00

Other Expense—

Stationery & Postage	204.54
Travel	4.87
Telephone	93.35
Surety Bond	262.00
Burglary Insurance	30.00
Adding Machine Service	20.10
Safe Deposit Box	4.80
Town Checks	45.13
Office Supplies	126.62
Typewriter Repairs	20.00
Dues	2.00

Office Equipment	129.00
Coupon Service	21.40
Insurance on Standards	42.75
Tax Title Foreclosure	36.00

\$5,538.56

Treasurer's Department:

Salary Increases (1949)	134.46
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Collector's Department:

Salaries & Wages—	
Collector	\$3,150.00
Stenographer	1,768.00

Other Expense—

Stationery & Postage	544.60
Printing & Advertising	424.84
Telephone	70.00
Surety Bonds	380.75
Office Supplies	28.92
Burglary Insurance	30.00
Legal Fees	5.06
Travel	41.52
Adding Machine Services	23.10
Express	6.62
Dues	2.00
New Adding Machine	229.50

\$6,704.91

Collector's Department:

Salary Increases (1949)	125.17
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Assessors' Department:

Salaries & Wages—	
Assessors	\$6,900.00
Stenographer	1,300.00
Clerical Assistance	495.00

Other Expense—

Stationery & Postage	24.00
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Printing & Advertising	243.86
Travel	150.32
Office Supplies	289.00
Abstracts	804.13
Binding Books	51.00
Dues	21.00
Machine Service	85.50

\$10,372.81

Assessors' Department:

Salary Increases (1949)	566.70
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Other Finance Accounts:

Certifying Notes	64.00
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Law Department:

Town Counsel	\$2,515.00
All Other	165.30

\$2,680.30

Settle Claims & Suits:

Awards for Claims	\$49.80
Land Taking	200.00

\$249.80

Town Clerk's Department:

Salaries & Wages—	
Town Clerk	\$900.00
Clerical Assistance	1,040.00
Recording Fees	493.75
Other Expense—	
Stationery & Postage	74.82
Printing & Advertising	211.53
Travel	6.80
Surety Bond	15.00
Office Supplies	68.42

Dues	5.00
Record Books & Binding	62.50
Typewriter Repairs	20.00
Express	1.50
Trucking Rubbish	3.00

\$2,902.32

Town Clerk's Department:

Salary Increases (1949)	49.94
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Elections & Registrations:

Salaries & Wages—

Registrars	\$922.77
Assistant Registrars	702.54
Election Officers	1,671.38
Tellers	44.52
Oaths to Officials	5.25

Other Expense—

Clerical Assistance	225.00
Stationery & Postage	10.90
Printing & Advertising	516.55
Office Supplies	73.80
Rent of Polling Places	66.00
Repair Voting Booths	102.52
Trucking	60.00
Street Lists	175.00
Voting Lists	297.50

\$4,873.73

Town Survey & Assessors' Maps:

Engineering & Office Work	\$3,653.57
Office Expense	285.47
Telephone	75.55
Plans	85.76
Town Maps	390.00

\$4,490.35

Planning Board:

Stenographer	\$59.74
Printing & Advertising	214.66
Office Expense	29.44
Aerial Survey	600.00
Dues	12.50
Town Maps	65.00
Travel	7.00

 \$988.34
Survey of Town:

Town Planners	8,332.40
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Town Hall & Offices:

Salary & Wages—

Janitor	\$2,080.00
Vacation Substitute	60.00

Other Expense—

Fuel	679.72
Light	348.68
Janitor Supplies	100.79
Repairs	501.27
Flag	12.50
Lawn Mower	23.85

 \$3,806.81
Town Hall Janitor:

Salary Increase (1949)	17.29
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PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY

Police Department:

Salaries & Wages—

Chief	\$3,536.00
Sergeants (2)	6,448.00
Patrolmen	29,292.48
Special Officers	1,333.75
Summer Officers	8,706.54
Matron	57.77

Equipment Maintenance—

New Cars	1,495.00
Auto Expense	2,379.84
Equipment for Men	295.33

Fuel & Light—

Fuel	357.65
Light & Power	291.44

Maintenance Bldgs. & Grounds—

Repairs	534.55
Janitor Supplies	76.87
Towel Service	24.05

Other Expense—

Office Expense	227.73
Telephone	544.79
Radio Maintenance	68.48
Lunches for Prisoners	38.29
Photography	298.42
Expense Out of Town	32.47
Medical Examination	20.00
Laundry	11.62

 \$56,071.07

Police Department:

Salary Increases (1949)

952.36

Police Department Unpaid Bills:

Auto Expense	\$228.95	
Repairs	30.00	
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		\$258.95

Police Radio Equipment:

Radio		2,483.50
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Traffic Lights:

Electricity	\$216.64	
Repairs	192.23	
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		\$408.87

Fire Department:

Salaries & Wages	
Chief	\$3,536.00
Deputy Chiefs (2)	6,449.65
Permanent Men	54,157.04
Call Men	3,519.96
Other Employees	1,053.30

Equipment Replacement—

Apparatus	479.65
Equipment for Men	748.02

Maintenance & Repairs—

Gasoline & Oil	1,305.03
Motor Vehicles Expense	2,335.65
Alarm System	1,458.73

Fuel & Light—

Fuel	1,750.26
Light & Power	1,332.91

Maintenance Bldgs. & Grounds—

Repairs	1,437.21
Furniture & Furnishings	406.50
Laundry	357.79
Janitor Supplies	464.66

Other Expense—

Office Expense	525.25
Telephone	1,601.76
Night Rations	64.12
Accident Insurance	596.00
Adding Machine Service	35.40
Freight & Express	35.84
Medical First Aid	22.79
Dues	6.00
Travel	16.75
Magazines	3.00
Fire Prevention	152.11

 \$83,851.38
Fire Department:

Salary Increases (1949)	1,053.32
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Fire Department Unpaid Bills:

Light & Power	63.00
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Fire Department:

Hose	1,871.80
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Fire Department:

Gas Masks	868.63
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Fire Department:

Pickup Truck	1,497.85
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North Falmouth Fire Station:

Architect	\$1,625.46
Contract	26,379.11
Extras	711.99
Driveway	410.50
Electrical Work	804.65
Advertising	7.44

 \$29,939.15

Ambulance Committee:

Drivers	\$5,512.00
Assistants	58.00
Maintenance	805.27
Laundry	187.64
Medical Supplies	26.54
Lunches	13.99
Oxygen Refills	11.42
Radio	550.00
Clerical & Office Expense	43.81

 \$7,208.67
Ambulance Committee:

Salary Increases (1949)	66.13
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Ambulance Unpaid Bills:

Medical	120.25
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Uncollected Physicians' Fees:

Emergency Calls	33.00
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Building Commissioner's Department:

Salaries & Wages—

Commissioner	\$1,404.00
Stenographer	1,574.04

Other Expense—

Office Expense	1,032.13
Telephone	105.80
Maintenance of Car	250.00
Typewriter	125.15

 \$4,491.12
Building Commissioner's Department:

Salary Increases (1949)	53.91
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Wire Inspector:

Salary	1,262.83
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Sealer's Department:

Sealer	\$1,239.91
Mileage	148.62
Stationery & Postage	2.50
Advertising	8.88
Supplies	37.75
Travel	9.75

 \$1,447.41
Moth Department:

Salaries & Wages—

Superintendent	\$417.00
Labor	1,330.11

Other Expense—

Trucking	1,566.00
Gasoline & Oil	64.93
Equipment & Repairs	337.24
Insecticides	919.20
Travel	34.00
Office Expense	32.07

 \$4,700.55
Moth Department Unpaid Bill:

Repair Sprayer	343.65
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Tree Warden's Department:

Salaries & Wages—

Warden	\$574.50
Labor	1,165.25
Clerk	100.00

Other Expense—

Trucking	779.00
Equipment & Repairs	80.96
Gasoline & Oil	8.89
Seed, Fertilizer & Loam	218.40
Trees	511.50
Rent of Equipment	30.00
Office Expense	.87

Remove Trees	297.00
Tree Paint	11.32

\$3,777.69

Trimming Elm Trees:

Warden	\$223.50
Labor	1,104.20
Trucking	390.00
Equipment & Repairs	34.00
Gasoline & Oil	1.31
All Other	6.62

\$1,759.63

Spraying Elm Trees:

Warden	\$486.75
Labor	1,190.23
Trucking	817.50
Equipment & Repairs	1.29
All Other	4.81

\$2,500.58

Planting Trees & Shrubs:

Trees & Planting	893.00
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Forest Warden's Department:

Salary & Wages—	
Warden	\$97.46
Fighting Fires	1,456.05
Other Expense—	
Town Patrol	409.34
Fire Breaks	530.85
Equipment & Repairs	324.37
Radio Maintenance	882.64

\$3,700.71

Hose

663.36

Dog Officer's Department:

Salary	\$1,164.00
Maintenance of Car	350.00
Care of Dogs	292.50

 \$1,806.50
Shellfish Warden:

Salary & Transportation	\$2,406.22
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Propagation Of Shellfish:

Advertising	\$6.12
Quahaugs	1,150.00
Trucking	195.00
Planting	113.00
Supplies	32.72

 \$1,496.84
Bounties:

On Woodchucks	\$46.00
On Foxes	90.00

 \$136.00

HEALTH & SANITATION

Health Department:

Administration—	
Inspector	\$2,700.00
Transportation	179.20
Stenographer	1,631.60
Stationery & Postage	48.80
Printing & Advertising	78.61
Telephone	107.82
Bury Animals, etc.	40.00
Express	3.71
Typewriter	126.75
Supplies	55.87
Cleaning Dumps	252.75
Contagious Diseases—	
Medical Attendance	46.50
Hospitals	496.47
Cities & Towns	165.98
Clinics & Transportation	1,323.92
Tuberculosis—	
Board & Treatment	4,547.91
	\$11,805.89

Health Department:

Salary Increases (1949)	33.55
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Nurses & Clinics:

Falmouth Nursing Association	2,500.00
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Plumbing Inspector's Department:

Salary	\$1,831.92
Office Expense	45.95
Office Chair	24.50
	\$1,902.37

Collection Of Garbage & Refuse:

Contract	21,580.00
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Woods Hole Sewerage System:

Engineering	\$270.73
Contracts	15,140.21
Light & Power	232.34
Travel	43.50
Supplies	24.85
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	\$15,711.63

Public Dumps:

Superintendent	\$2,500.00
Labor	520.00
Tools & Supplies	16.89
Small Building	125.00
Rent of Equipment	463.31
Trucking	154.80
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	\$3,780.00

Public Dumps:

Salary Increase (1949)	41.80
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Herring Rivers:

Labor	\$435.60
Repairs	108.56
Clear Rivers	226.75
Advertising	3.72
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	\$774.63

HIGHWAYS & HARBORS

Highway Department:

Administration—

Highway Surveyor	\$3,559.92
Stenographer	1,599.52
Stationery & Postage	38.08
Printing & Advertising	4.50
Telephone	276.40
Office Supplies	55.15
Adding Machine Service	13.55
Typewriter Repairs	15.00
Office Equipment	25.25

General—

Labor	41,597.49
Trucking	1,102.50
Road Material	6,022.17
Equipment & Repairs	9,633.24
Fuel, Gasoline & Oil	2,192.98
Rent of Equipment	206.25
Drawbridge Tender	2,853.20
Lubricating Drawbridge	28.75
Power for Drawbridge	273.62
Signs	1,436.59
Drainage on Private Land	180.00
Drainage	1,324.92
Fuel & Electricity at Sheds	208.92
Repair Sheds	609.46
Curbing	248.50

\$73,505.96
Highway Department:

Salary & Wage Increases (1949)	3,241.87
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Railing & Bridge Repairs:

Advertising	\$16.74
Repairs	2,135.79
Painting	3,822.44

 \$5,974.97
Snow & Ice Removal:

Labor	\$5,759.47
Trucking	820.83
Tools & Equipment	8.04
Gasoline & Oil	502.00
Motor Plowing	993.50
Horse Plowing	118.00
Salt	834.23
Calcium Chloride	101.63
Sand	150.40

 \$9,288.10
Tractor With Shovel:

Advertising	\$13.50
Tractor	9,444.89

 \$9,458.39
Surveyor's Car:

Advertising	\$1.26
Dodge Coupe	1,545.00
Extras	153.60

 \$1,699.86
Sidewalks (1949):

Labor	\$195.00
Material	99.18

 \$294.18

Sidewalks (1950):

Engineering	\$24.50
Labor	1,576.72
Material	913.89
Fuel	98.00

 \$2,613.11
Chapter 90 Construction (1949):

Labor	\$5,889.65
Trucking	4,345.50
Material	900.00
Gasoline & Oil	707.12
Rent of Equipment	7,103.65
Drainage	238.68

 \$19,184.60
Chapter 90 Construction (1950):

Labor	\$8,901.80
Trucking	2,853.04
Material	13,724.26
Equipment & Repairs	96.46
Gasoline & Oil	987.21
Rent of Equipment	2,824.00
Guard Rails	495.00
Drainage	112.00

 \$29,993.77
Chapter 90 Maintenance (1950):

Labor	\$1,307.20
Trucking	375.00
Material	6,599.54
Rent of Equipment	414.90
Gasoline & Oil	106.45
Painting Bridge	196.60

 \$8,999.69

Cypress Street:

Labor	\$850.28
Trucking	87.75
Material	848.58
Gasoline	59.70
Tires	170.50

 \$2,016.81
Maravista Avenue:

Asphalt	569.40
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Housing Authority Roads:

Labor	\$3,239.10
Material	1,872.22
Gasoline	285.60

 \$5,396.92
Standish Avenue:

Labor	\$3,249.80
Trucking	121.50
Material	1,251.64
Gasoline	177.00

 \$4,799.94
Sumner Street:

Labor	\$616.24
Material	525.28
Gasoline & Fuel	100.20

 \$1,241.72
Ardmore Street:

Engineering	\$48.00
Labor	663.62
Material	637.02
Gasoline	59.70

 \$1,408.34

Teaticket Path:

Labor	\$2,459.52	
Material	1,261.20	
Gasoline, Oil & Fuel	139.10	
Tires	390.78	
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Hillside Avenue:

Labor	\$1,830.80	
Trucking	270.00	
Material	907.30	
Gasoline & Fuel	78.25	
Street Signs	12.75	
Tires	124.50	
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Moonakiss Road:

Labor	\$1,889.50	
Trucking	303.75	
Material	1,891.93	
Gasoline & Oil	254.72	
Equipment Repairs	67.10	
	<hr/>	\$4,407.00

Replace Road Bounds:

Engineering	147.75
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Road Layouts:

Sundry Roads	350.00
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Harbor Hill Road Layout:

Land Taking	100.00
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Main Street Survey & Widening:

Engineering	154.68
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Street Lights:

Contract	13,893.06
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Christmas Lighting (1948):

Lamps	43.40
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Christmas Lighting (1949):

Installation	\$548.20
Trees	192.00
Electricity	59.80
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	\$800.00

Harbor Master's Department:

Harbor Master	\$966.75
Buoys	814.64
Dock Repairs	12.77
Dredging Eel Pond Channel	348.00
Signs	32.00
Wharf Lights	270.44
Electricity	32.00
Office Expense	7.50
Hardware	3.45
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	\$2,487.55

Megansett Wharf Hardening:

Labor	\$1,027.68
Material	244.78
Motor	130.79
Gasoline	58.20
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	\$1,461.45

Quissett Harbor Dredging:

Advertising	\$3.00
Contract	975.00
Extras	122.00
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	\$1,100.00

CHARITIES & VETERANS' BENEFITS

Public Welfare Department:

Administration—

Agent	\$1,961.46
Clerk	1,235.90
Social Worker	290.80
Printing, Stationery & Postage	255.94
Mileage	266.35
Telephone	158.90
Office Supplies	82.94
Social Service Index	26.00
Typewriter Repairs	19.90
Travel	31.70
Dues	13.00

Outside Relief by Town—

Groceries & Provisions	14,016.73
Fuel	3,335.71
Board & Care	8,288.54
Medical Attendance	4,489.43
Hospitals	6,723.14
Cash Aid	9,518.81
Rent & Lights	4,601.69
Clothing & Shoes	1,513.80
Repairs & Household Necessities	252.50
Transport to Hospitals	166.07
Burials	795.75
Mortgage Interest	20.14
Water	25.20
Trucking	88.59
Transport Men to Project	55.00

Relief by Other Cities & Towns—

Cities	847.93
Towns	947.48

\$60,029.40

Infirmary:

Superintendent	\$1,657.56
Groceries & Provisions	3,344.00
Dry Goods & Clothing	57.16
Repairs	493.38
Fuel & Light	901.00
Telephone	73.20
Supplies	18.15
Medical Attendance	327.59
Barber	60.51

 \$6,932.55
Cape Cod Hospital:

Free Bed	500.00
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Aid To Dependent Children:

Agents	\$115.38
Clerks	145.40
Social Worker	92.30
Cash Aid	41,596.73
Mileage	6.00
Transportation	10.35

 \$41,966.16
Federal Grant—A. D. C.—Administration:

Agent	\$346.14
Clerks	436.20
Social Worker	1,153.75
Mileage	37.30
Travel	14.50
Transport to Hospitals	46.60

 \$2,034.49
Federal Grant—A. D. C.—Aid:

Cash Aid	19,522.93
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Old Age Assistance:

Social Worker	\$1,068.34
Agent	230.76
Clerk	740.58
Mileage	32.70
Office Expense	112.60
Telephone	46.70
Transport to Hospitals	71.10
Cash Aid	62,630.97
Aid by Other Cities & Towns	472.12
Travel	40.08

 \$65,445.95
Federal Grant, O. A. A.—Administration:

Social Worker	\$1,481.74
Agent	346.14
Clerk	756.40
Mileage	60.85
Office Expense	207.91
Telephone	60.30
Transport to Hospital	83.45
Travel	11.45
Dues	15.00

 \$3,023.24
Federal Grant, O. A. A.—Assistance:

Cash Aid	\$38,833.42
Aid by Other Towns	36.67

 \$38,870.09
Veterans' Benefits:

Agent	\$1,200.00
Clerk	520.00
Office Expense, Travel, etc.	327.07
Ordinary Allowances	9,780.05
Fuel	656.68

Medical	440.90
Dental	121.00
Transport to Hospitals	16.90
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	\$13,062.60

SCHOOLS & LIBRARIES

School Department:

General—

Superintendent	\$5,941.25
Clerks	3,698.40
Attendance Officer	1,000.00
Printing, Stationery & Postage	535.23
Telephone	813.87
Superintendent's Travel	209.30
School Census	50.00
Sundry Expense	252.86

Teachers' Salaries—

High & Vocational	93,485.13
Elementary	124,051.02
Supervisors	13,153.72
Substitutes	1,852.00

Textbooks & Supplies—

High & Voc. Textbooks	2,720.77
High & Voc. Supplies	4,442.87
Elementary Textbooks	6,140.28
Elementary Supplies	4,360.66
Libraries	704.41

Transportation—

High	10,714.96
Elementary	12,869.54
All Other	275.00

Janitor Services—

High	6,110.00
Elementary	10,076.28
Substitutes	95.00

Fuel & Light—

High Fuel	3,357.44
High Light & Power	1,390.26
Elementary Fuel	7,412.75
Elementary Light & Power	2,090.28

Maintenance Bldgs. & Grounds—

High Repairs	884.05
High Janitor Supplies	773.77
High All Other	93.50
Elementary Repairs	6,933.58
Elementary Janitor Supplies	2,445.30
Elementary All Other	424.50
Athletic Field	1,018.56

Furniture & Furnishings—

High	348.01
Elementary	409.39

Other Expense—

Diplomas & Graduations	319.89
School Clerks	4,719.76
School Physician	1,190.00
Auto Expense	388.62
Health Supplies	21.74
Tuning Pianos	46.50
Repair & Replace Typewriters	701.50
Athletic & Physical Education	581.66
Nature Study Courses	550.00
Out of State Travel	150.00
Vocational School Tuition	262.70
Tutoring Home Bound Children	222.84
Hand Writing Courses	1,900.00
Driver Education Courses	407.94
Transport Supplies	200.00

All Other	393.08	
New Equipment	4,079.75	
	<hr/>	\$347,269.92

School Department 1949 Bills:

Power & Light	240.60
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School Department Power Mower:

Advertising	\$4.65	
Mower	695.00	
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Repair School Boilers:

Village School	\$488.00	
East Falmouth School	3,268.00	
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Agricultural Instructor's Travel:

Mileage	177.62
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Teaticket School Lunchroom:

Equipment	\$2,334.02	
Express	11.57	
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High School Band:

Equipment	94.77
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School Building Committee:

Telephone	23.85
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Plans For School Building:

Engineering	1,024.15
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Junior-Senior High School:

Architect	\$48,460.00	
Water Pipes	167.22	
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Special School Lunch:

Salaries	\$4,139.95	
Food	5,299.15	
Ice Cream	1,655.75	
Milk & Cream	3,780.55	
Equipment	469.17	
Fuel	46.50	
Office Expense	23.80	
Repairs	27.88	
Supplies	296.65	
Insurance	73.12	
	<hr/>	\$15,812.52

School Athletic Fund:

Officials	\$185.00	
Police	12.00	
Transportation	54.00	
Equipment	183.63	
Supplies	13.29	
Laundry	13.50	
Repairs	48.75	
	<hr/>	\$510.17

Falmouth Public Library:

Librarian	\$2,433.20
Assistants	1,849.05
Janitor	1,040.00
Books & Periodicals	1,022.10
Bindings	138.69
Fuel	534.58

Repairs	313.76
Furniture & Furnishings	37.50
Janitor Supplies, etc.	24.59
Care of Grounds	268.14
Office Expense	239.22
Telephone	66.25
Surety Bond	12.50

\$7,979.58

Falmouth Library:

Salary Increase (1949)	44.15
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Woods Hole Library:

Librarian	\$150.00
Janitor	19.00
Books	126.50
Fuel & Light	89.50

\$385.00

West Falmouth Library:

Librarians	\$142.00
Janitor	37.50
Fuel & Light	104.29
Repairs	100.00

\$383.79

North Falmouth Library:

Librarian	\$100.00
Janitor	25.00
Books	258.87

\$383.87

RECREATION & UNCLASSIFIED

Park Department:

Superintendent	\$3,000.00
Clerk	100.00
Office Expense	59.07
Labor	3,664.65
Tools & Equipment	368.96
Seed, Fertilizer & Clay	418.35
Repairs	179.61
Truck Expense	370.85
Care of Flags	150.00
New Flags	103.50
Flag Poles	26.00
Tennis Courts	54.00
Tennis Court Labor	500.00
Tennis Court Supplies	20.05
Rolling Parks	199.25
Float Expense	44.75
All Other	142.05

\$9,401.09

Park Dept. 1949 Wages:

132.72

Goodwill Park:

Labor	\$526.00
Repairs	161.34
Plumbing	250.42
Supplies	51.59
Signs	5.75

\$995.10

Beach Committee:

Superintendent	\$216.33
Clerk	100.00
Casino Labor	2,168.02

Life Guards	4,347.87
Repairs	3.37
Tools & Equipment	848.93
Float Expense	1,191.88
Casino Supplies & Laundry	155.70
Plumbing	4.15
Life Guard Equipment	326.96
Paint	288.91
Signs	232.10
Restrictions	148.21
Office Expense	23.84
Skiff	75.00

\$10,131.32

Old Silver Beach:

Labor	\$440.00
Trucking	44.00
Storage	6.00

\$490.00

McVitty Land:

Purchase	8,000.00
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Repair Erosion of Water Front:

West Falmouth Breakwater	2,250.00
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Shore Protection:

Labor	\$422.50
Trucking	210.87
Rip Rap	358.00

\$991.37

Shore Erosion:

Labor	\$88.75
Trucking	70.38

\$159.13

Town Forest:

Labor	\$2,559.00	
Tools	21.55	
Spraying	100.00	
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		\$2,680.55

Comfort Station & Community Center Bldg.:

Matron	\$1,820.00	
Janitor	1,820.00	
Supplies	166.09	
Repairs	100.32	
Fuel	817.71	
Light	386.39	
New Boiler	1,700.00	
Advertising	4.50	
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		\$6,815.01

Comfort Station Repairs:

New Boiler	1,000.00
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Comfort Station 1949 Bills:

Fuel Oil	133.99
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Recreation Committee:

Director	\$3,500.00
Assistants	2,080.00
Janitor	2,392.00
Rental Expense	125.00
Fuel	1,496.48
Electricity & Gas	703.38
Office Expense	102.09
Supplies	333.76
Equipment	198.51
Repairs	358.92
Skate Boy	99.75

Vacation Salaries—

Director	134.60
Assistant	80.00
Janitor	92.00
Parties, Prizes, etc.	204.37
Travel	17.61
Tuning Piano	13.00
Water	.67
Trucking	13.13
Refinish Floor	480.00

 \$12,425.27
Legion Building Repairs:

Minor Repairs	99.25
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Legion Building 1949 Bills:

Repairs	24.00
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Legion Building Alterations:

Locks	4.45
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Propagation of Fish & Game:

Grain	\$238.28
Plowing & Seeding	114.07
Trout	50.00
Transportation	20.00

 \$422.35
Aviation Committee:

Rent	\$975.00
Insurance	74.75

 \$1,049.75
Memorial Day:

Celebration	596.59
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Soldiers' Memorial:

Care	60.00
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Advertising Town:

Clerk	\$697.77
Advertising	91.20
Office Expense	211.71

\$1,000.68

Public Amusements:

Umpires	\$488.00
Equipment	1,474.90
Laundry	11.75
Medical First Aid	15.00

\$1,989.65

Contributory Retirement:

Pension Fund	4,736.00
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Police Annuity:

Annuity	999.96
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Policemen's Pensions:

Pensions	5,010.98
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Firemen's Pensions:

Pensions	5,503.60
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Fire Insurance:

Premiums	6,092.69
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Compensation Insurance:

Premiums	6,509.30
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Town Reports:

Printing	\$2,772.15
Delivery	125.00

\$2,897.15

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

Water Department:

Administration—

Commissioners	\$1,020.96
Superintendent	4,004.00
Clerks	5,198.48
Stationery & Postage	500.89
Printing & Advertising	533.51
Telephone	221.93
Office Supplies	143.50
Recording Fees	121.55
Special Investigations	32.28
Office Equipment	172.03
Legal Advice	124.16
Adding Machine Service	13.55
Dues	10.00
Cash Advance	10.00
Town Maps	90.00
Plans	106.50
All Other	26.16

General—

Labor	\$16,101.47
Truck Expense	1,765.75
Pipe & Fittings	2,328.12
Meters & Fittings	7,281.35
Gasoline & Oil	859.99
Freight & Express	411.02
Supplies	1,008.70
Power, Light & Telephone	130.36
Standpipe Repairs	100.10
Tools	698.19
Local Agent	300.00
Patching	621.72
Town Map	40.00
All Other	32.40

Service Connections—

Labor	9,252.67
Pipe & Fittings	8,675.77
All Other	203.48

Pumping Station—

Engineers	9,525.50
Oil, Waste & Packing	206.08
Fuel	6,051.28
Repairs	431.68
Pipe, Fittings & Supplies	198.45
Power, Light & Telephone	538.71
Water Treatment	956.72
Recording Apparatus	254.72
Boiler Insurance	230.00
Bulbs	1.08

Minor Extensions—

Labor	1,729.50
Pipe & Fittings	4,665.10
Patching	120.00
Trenching, etc.	3,144.71

Hydrants—

Labor	308.08
Pipe & Fittings	878.79
All Other	47.50

Pipe Cleaning—

Contract	2,000.00
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Waquoit Pumping Station—

Labor	307.00
Power	286.72
Telephone	39.00

\$94,061.21

Water Department 1949 Salaries:

1,344.44

Waquoit Pumping Station:

Labor	\$225.00
Repairs	7.00
Washing Wells	1,020.00
Water Treatment	50.00

 \$1,302.00
Housing Authority Extension:

Labor	\$808.88
Pipe & Fittings	1,672.03
Meters	196.56
Tools	35.08
Trucking	4.00

 \$2,716.55
Old Meeting House Road Extension:

Labor	\$15.00
Pipe & Fittings	84.24

 \$99.24
Menauhant Water System:

Purchase Price	11,247.62
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Cordwood Landing Road Extension:

Pipe & Fittings	\$174.21
Trenching	68.00

 \$242.21
Old Silver Beach Extension:

Pipe & Fittings	\$40.60
Trenching	23.75

 \$64.35

Coonamesett Extension:

Investigation & Report	289.33
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Fairview & Allan Avenues Extension:

Labor	\$269.12
Pipe & Fittings	4,109.92
Trenching	1,353.66
Tools	63.00
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	\$5,795.70

Lillie & Morgan Roads Extension:

Legal Advice	\$50.00
Labor	85.94
Pipe & Fittings	4,339.53
Trenching, etc.	2,032.76
Tools	78.00
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	\$6,586.23

Bywater Court Extension:

Legal Advice	\$25.00
Labor	47.50
Pipe & Fittings	681.75
Trenching	728.80
Tools	22.61
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	\$1,505.66

Allan Avenue Extension:

Legal Advice	\$25.00
Labor	33.48
Pipe & Fittings	619.46
Trenching	636.70
Tools	15.00
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	\$1,329.64

Walker Street Extension:		
Pipe & Fittings		185.92
Mill Road Acres Extension:		
Pipe & Fittings		21.96
Sandwich Road Extension:		
Pipe & Fittings		146.65
Central Park Court Extension:		
Pipe & Fittings:		62.75
Norris (Shore St.) Extension:		
Pipe & Fittings		50.84
Davis Road Extension:		
Pipe & Fittings		50.00
White Extension:		
Pipe & Fittings		59.03
Moreland Road Extension:		
Pipe & Fittings		136.50
Bay Road Extension:		
Pipe & Fittings		195.04
Waverly Street Extension:		
Pipe & Fittings		80.24
Metoxet Road Extension:		
Pipe & Fittings		953.05
Minot Street Extension:		
Pipe & Fittings		102.22
Saconnessett Hills Extension:		
Pipe & Fittings		94.50
Lakeview Avenue Extension:		
Pipe & Fittings		577.51
Johnson Reimbursement:		
Holland Road Extension	\$1,669.62	
Johnson Road Extension	2,205.82	
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		3,875.44
Brown Reimbursement:		
Extension		445.42

CEMETERIES

General Care:	\$150.00
Veterans' Graves:	50.00
North Falmouth Ancient Graves:	100.00

Old Town Cemetery:

Labor	\$1,948.40
Clerk	40.00
Tools	138.56
Repair Mower	90.17
Gasoline & Oil	17.09
Loam	574.25
Seed & Fertilizer	191.53

\$3,000.00

INTEREST & MATURING DEBT

Interest:

Temporary Revenue Loans	\$320.00
Ladder Truck Loan	430.00
Woods Hole Sewer Loan	3,850.00
Water Extension Loans	1,579.00

\$6,179.00

Maturing Debt:

Temporary Revenue Loans	\$8,000.00
Ladder Truck Loan	5,500.00
Woods Hole Sewer Loan	6,000.00
Water Extension Loans	9,800.00

\$29,300.00

AGENCY, TRUST & INVESTMENTS

Agency:

Taxes—	
State Parks & Reservations	\$1,850.39
Auditing Municipal Accounts	933.86

Examination Retirement Funds	26.75	
Cape Cod Mosquito Control	8,896.51	
County	119,557.24	
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		131,264.75
Dog Licenses—		
To County		1,217.60
Withholding Taxes—		
To Collector of Internal Revenue		46,136.55
Bath House Locker Collections—		
To the Nik-O-Lok Co.		93.20
Comfort Station Locker Collections—		
To American Coin Locks		86.56
Trusts & Investments:		
Deposits for Cemetery Care	\$675.00	
Perpetual Care of Lots	2,556.90	
Jewett Scholarship	75.00	
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		\$3,306.90

REFUNDS & TRANSFERS

Refunds:

Personal Taxes, 1949	\$16.00	
Real Estate Taxes, 1949	520.00	
Poll Taxes, 1950	4.00	
Personal Taxes, 1950	152.00	
Real Estate Taxes, 1950	1,059.15	
Motor Excise Taxes, 1949	303.13	
Motor Excise Taxes, 1950	495.73	
Water Dept. Accounts Receivable	156.34	
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		\$2,706.35
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Total Payments	\$1,686,841.56	
Cash Balance, December 31, 1950	537,866.21	
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TOTAL		\$2,224,707.77

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS

	Balance Jan. 1, 1950	Appropriation 1950	Transfers to Appropri.	Expended 1950	Transfers from Appropri.	Balance Dec. 31, 1950
General Government:						
Moderator		\$125.00		97.31		27.69*
Finance Committee		1,000.00		821.90		178.10*
Selectmen's Dept.—						
Salaries		4,640.00		4,640.00		
All Other		2,720.00	851.30	3,464.92		
Salary Increase, 1949				282.50		
Unpaid Bills		224.40		224.40		
Accountant's Dept.—	\$282.50					106.38*
Salaries		5,310.00		5,360.00		
All Other		640.00	50.00	510.09		
Salary Increase, 1949	158.06			158.06		129.91*
Treasurer's Dept.—						
Salaries		4,496.00		4,496.00		
All Other		1,048.10		1,042.56		
Salary Increase, 1949				134.46		5.54*
Collector's Dept.—	134.46					
Salaries		4,918.00		4,918.00		
All Other		1,496.75	290.16	1,786.91		
Salary Increase, 1949				125.17		
Assessors' Dept.—	125.17					
Salaries		8,550.00		8,695.00		5.00*
All Other		1,796.50	150.00	1,677.81		118.69*
Salary Increase, 1949				566.70		
Certifying Notes	566.70					
Law Dept.		100.00	10.00	566.70		
Settle Claims & Suits		3,000.00		64.00		46.00*
Town Clerk's Dept.—		500.00		2,680.30		319.70*
Salaries				249.80		250.20
All Other		1,940.00		1,940.00		
Salary Increase, 1949	49.91	1,298.00		962.32		335.63*
				49.91		

Elections & Registrations—			
Salaries	3,665.83	3,391.21	274.62*
All Other	1,484.50	1,482.51	1.98*
Planning Board	1,000.00	988.34	11.66*
Survey of Town		400.00	6,667.60
Town Survey & Assessors' Maps	15,000.00		9.65*
Town Hall & Offices—	4,500.00	4,490.35	
Salaries	2,140.00	2,140.00	58.19*
All Other	1,725.00	1,666.81	
Salary Increase, 1949		17.29	
Protection of Persons & Property:			
Police Dept.—			
Salaries	49,404.36	49,374.54	29.82*
New Cars	1,500.00	1,495.00	5.00*
Auto Expense	2,056.32	2,379.84	4.48*
All Other	2,907.20	2,821.69	135.51*
Salary Increase, 1949	979.42	952.36	27.06*
Police Radio Equipment	2,000.00	2,483.50	
Unpaid Bills		258.95	
Traffic Lights		194.00	10.13*
Fire Dept.—			
Salaries	68,674.20	68,715.95	7.32*
Hose	2,000.00	1,871.80	128.20*
Pickup Truck	1,500.00	1,497.85	2.15
Repair Ahrens Pumper	1,000.00		1,000.00
All Other	14,603.19	547.62	15.38*
Unpaid Bills	63.00	63.00	
Chief's Car	156.24	156.24	
Ladder Truck	163.80	163.80	
Alarm Truck	19.52	19.52	
Gas Masks	1,972.52	868.63	1,103.89
Training Program	24.28		24.28
Salary Increase, 1949	1,883.31	1,053.32	829.99*
North Falmouth Fire Station	30,000.00	29,939.15	60.85

Statement of Appropriations—(Continued)

	Balance Jan. 1, 1950	Appropriation 1950	Transfers to Appropri.	Expended 1950	Transfers from Appropri.	Balance Dec. 31, 1950
Ambulance Committee—						
Salaries		5,587.00		5,568.00		19.00*
All Other		1,689.00		1,640.67		28.42*
Unpaid Bills		120.25		120.25		
Salary Increase, 1949	66.13			66.13		
Uncollected Physicians' Fees		50.00		33.00		17.00*
Building Commissioner's Dept.—						
Salaries		2,978.04		2,978.04		
All Other		700.00	815.07	1,513.08		1.99*
Salary Increase, 1949	53.91			53.91		
Wire Inspector		1,262.83		1,262.83		
Sealer's Dept.—						
Salary		1,239.91		1,239.91		
All Other		207.50		207.50		
Moth Dept.—						
Wages		1,750.00		1,747.11		2.89*
All Other		3,260.00		3,253.44		6.56*
Unpaid Bills		343.65		343.65		
Tree Warden's Dept.—						
Wages		1,625.00	215.20	1,839.75		.45*
All Other		1,500.00	440.00	1,937.94		2.06*
Trimming Elm Trees	32	2,000.00		1,759.63		240.69
Spraying Elm Trees	.70	2,500.00		2,500.58		.12
Power Saw	214.90				214.90	
Planting Trees & Shrubs	246.29	1,000.00		893.00		353.29
Forest Warden's Dept.—						
Wages		1,897.46	9.96	1,529.51		377.91*
Hose		700.00		663.36		36.64*
All Other		2,275.00		2,171.20		103.80*
Dog Officer		1,917.50	292.50	1,806.50		403.50*
Shellfish Warden		2,406.22		2,406.22		

Statement of Appropriations—(Continued)

	Balance Jan. 1, 1950	Appropriation 1950	Transfers to Appropri.	Expended 1950	Transfers from Appropri.	Balance Dec. 31, 1950
Chap. 90 Maintenance, 1948	62.63				62.63	
" " " 1949	6,000.00				6,000.00	
" " " 1950		1,000.00	8,000.00	8,999.69		.31
Deacons Avenue Grading	100.00				100.00	
Surveyor's Car		1,700.00		1,699.86		.14*
Cypress Street		2,017.00		2,016.81		.19*
Sidewalks, 1949	176.15		125.05	294.18		7.02
Sidewalks, 1950		2,625.00		2,613.11		11.89
Harbor Hill Road		750.00				750.00
Moonakiss Road		4,420.43		4,407.00		13.43
Housing Authority Roads	1,977.00	3,420.00		5,396.92		.08
Teaticket Path		4,252.68		4,250.60		2.08
Hillside Avenue		3,232.00		3,223.60		8.40
Standish Avenue		4,800.00		4,799.94		.06
Summer Street		1,250.00		1,241.72		8.28
Ardmore Street		1,430.00		1,408.34		21.66
Traffic Circle, Heights Corner	7.00	5,500.00			7.00	5,500.00
Land Damage, Sandwich Road	.56				.56	
Clinton Avenue	17.76				17.76	
Bay Road	16.71				16.71	
Woods Hole Main Street	640.00			569.40		71.20
Maravista Avenue						3.91
Deacons Avenue	3.91					1.71
Brick Kiln Road	1.71					1.82
Waquoit-East End Road	1.82					18.57
Teaticket Path	18.57					8.66
Silver Beach Avenue	8.66					
Gifford & King Street Corners	188.67					188.67
Main Street Survey & Widen	276.80			154.68		122.12
East Main Street Building Lines	275.00					275.00
Replace Road Bounds	147.75			147.75		

Sundry Road Layouts	389.00	210.00	454.80	450.00	149.00
Street Lights		13,599.92		13,893.06	161.66*
Additional Lights		354.80			354.80
Housing Authority Lights	100.00				100.00
Christmas Lighting, 1948	43.42			43.40	.02
" " 1949	800.00			800.00	
" " 1950		800.00			800.00
Harbor Master's Dept.—					
Salary					
All Other		966.75	348.00	966.75	157.20*
Eel Pond Channel Sea Wall, Repairs	2,000.00	1,330.00		1,520.80	
Megansett Wharf Hardening	1,478.54				2,000.00
Quissett Harbor Dredging				1,461.45	17.09
Great Harbor Dock	1.44	1,100.00		1,100.00	1.44
Juniper Point Jetties	3,000.00				3,000.00
Charities & Soldiers' Benefits:					
Public Welfare Dept.					
Welfare 1948 Bills	150.00	60,000.00	40.00	60,029.40	10.60*
Infirmary—					
Salary		1,657.56		1,657.56	
All Other		5,842.44		5,274.99	567.45*
Aid to Dependent Children—					
Town		40,000.00			1,719.54*
Federal Administration	600.63		3,685.70	41,966.16	429.55
Federal Aid	1,361.88		1,863.41	2,034.49	4,113.27
Old Age Assistance—			22,274.32	19,522.93	
Town		65,000.00			76.10*
Federal Administration	52.69		522.05	65,445.95	589.35
Federal Assistance	2,727.45		3,559.90	3,023.24	1,539.03
Veterans' Benefits—			37,681.67	38,870.09	
Salaries					
All Other		1,720.00		1,720.00	2.83*
Cape Cod Hospital Free Bed		8,700.00	2,645.43	11,342.60	
Housing Authority	411.68	500.00		500.00	411.68
Street Layout	25.00				25.00
Refund to Contractors		50.00			50.00

Statement of Appropriations—(Continued)

	Balance Appropriation Jan. 1, 1950	Transfers to Appropri.	Expended 1950	Transfers from Appropri.	Balance Dec. 31, 1950
School & Libraries:					
School Dept.—					
Salaries	266,040.58	783.73	265,372.56		1,451.75*
Fuel, Light & Power	16,000.00		14,250.73		1,749.27*
Power Mower	750.00		699.65		50.35*
All Other	67,627.15	19.92	67,646.63		.44*
Unpaid Bills	240.60		240.60		
Agricultural Instructor's Travel		375.00	177.62		197.38
Special School Lunch		21,838.42	15,812.52		6,025.90
School Athletic Fund		1,059.02	510.17		548.85
High School Band Equipment	467.50		94.77		372.73
Hall School Hot Water Tank	450.00				450.00
Hall School Boiler	400.00				400.00
Repair School Boilers			3,756.00		
Teaticket School Lunch Room	2,346.54		2,345.59		.95
School Site Expense	9.25			9.25	
School Building Committee	154.34		23.85		130.49
Plans for School Building	1,057.28		1,024.15		33.13
Junior-Senior High School			48,627.22		231,372.78
Land Taking, Parcel A			100.00		100.00
Land Taking, Parcel B			100.00		100.00
Memorial to Falmouth Veterans			1,500.00		1,500.00
Falmouth Public Library		10.00	7,979.58		285.76*
Salary Increase, 1949	44.15		44.15		
Woods Hole Library	385.00		385.00		
West Falmouth Library	385.00		383.79		1.21*
North Falmouth Library	385.00		383.87		1.13*
Recreation & Unclassified:					
Park Dept.—					
Wages	7,105.00		7,100.65		4.35*

All Other		2,323.00	2,300.44	22.56*
Wage Increase, 1949			132.72	103.92*
Goodwill Park	236.64	1,000.00	995.10	4.90*
Beach Committee—				
Wages		7,052.00	6,835.59	216.41*
All Other		2,055.00	3,295.73	1.77*
Old Silver Beach			490.00	
Old Silver Beach Police	213.19			213.19
Chapel Park Curbing	12.78			12.78
Woods Hole Playground	.55			.55
Shore Front, Casino to Mill Road	750.00			750.00
McVitty Beach & Land	11,000.00		8,000.00	3,000.00
McCann Beach	2,666.00			2,666.00
Nye Park Swampland	50.00			50.00
Shore Erosion	159.13		159.13	
Shore Protection		1,000.00	991.37	8.63
Erosion of Water Front			2,250.00	22,150.00
Town Forest	24,400.00	2,700.00	2,680.55	19.45*
Comfort Station & Community Center—				
Salaries		3,640.00	3,640.00	
All Other		1,360.00	3,175.01	42.22*
Community Center Repairs	41.18			41.18
Community Center Alterations	1,000.00		1,000.00	
Community Center 1949 Bills		133.99	133.99	
Recreation Committee—				
Salaries		8,528.62	8,503.35	25.27*
All Other		3,407.15	3,441.92	15.73*
Refinish Floor		480.00	480.00	
Exterior Painting				
Interior Painting				
Legion Building—	1,035.00			
Alterations	667.00			
Minor Repairs				
Unpaid Bills	4.60			
Veterans' Building Repairs		100.00	4.45	.75*
		24.00	24.00	
		100.00		100.00*

Statement of Appropriations—(Continued)

	Balance Appropriation Jan. 1, 1950	Transfers to Appropri.	Expended 1950	Transfers from Appropri.	Balance Dec. 31, 1950
Propagation of Fish & Game	90.30			422.35	167.95
Aviation Committee	530.54			1,049.75	680.79
Railroad Transportation Committee	465.00				465.00
War Memorial Committee	250.00				250.00
Memorial Day Celebration		600.00		596.59	3.41*
Honor Roll Maintenance	187.30				187.30
Care Soldiers' Memorial		60.00		60.00	
Advertising Town	.68	1,000.68			
Public Amusement		2,000.00		1,989.65	10.35*
Contributory Retirement Funds		4,736.00		4,736.00	
Police Annuity		1,000.00		999.96	.04*
Policemen's Pensions		3,884.48	1,126.50		
Firemen's Pensions		6,423.85		5,010.98	
Compensation Insurance		6,509.30		5,503.60	920.25*
Fire Insurance		6,000.00	92.69	6,509.30	
Town Reports		2,900.00		6,092.69	
Reserve Fund		15,000.00		2,897.15	2.85*
				13,393.27	1,606.73*
Public Service Enterprises:					
Water Dept.—					
Salaries & Wages			119.42	47,562.08	707.20*
All Other			4,190.34	49,194.29	21.05*
Salary Increase, 1949	1,344.44			1,344.44	
Wauquoit Pumping Station	1,342.93			1,302.00	40.93
Pumping Station Equipment					15,253.01
Water Extensions—		15,253.01			
Jericho Path	900.00				900.00
Mill Road Acres	23.62			23.62	
Bay Road	375.46			124.06	180.42
Walker Street	185.92		70.98	185.92	
Lakeview Avenue to Gifford Street		11,500.00			11,500.00

Statement of Appropriations—(Continued)

	Balance Appropriation Jan. 1, 1950	Transfers to Appropri.	Expended 1950	Transfers from Appropri.	Balance Dec. 31, 1950
Veterans' Graves Old Town Cemetery	55.00 3,000.00		50.00 3,000.00		5.00*
Interest & Maturing Debt:					
Interest on Temporary Loans	1,000.00		320.00		680.00*
Interest on General Loans	4,280.00		4,280.00		
Maturing General Debt	11,500.00		11,500.00		

* Closed out to Surplus Revenue

TAX STATEMENT

	Outstanding Jan. 1, 1950	Committed	Collected	Abated	Outstanding Tax Titles Dec. 31, 1950
Real Estate Taxes, 1948	\$6,906.24		6,090.66	691.34	NONE
Poll Taxes, 1949	14.00		6.00	8.00	NONE
Personal Taxes, 1949	4,161.40	116.00	3,418.20	610.00	249.20
Real Estate Taxes, 1949	80,414.07	534.00	63,071.34	2,656.66	15,073.91
Poll Taxes, 1950		5,488.00	4,506.00	912.00	70.00
Personal Taxes, 1950		91,554.83	84,334.62	1,478.39	5,741.82
Real Estate Taxes, 1950		914,419.81	817,358.52	14,298.61	81,873.37
Motor Excise Taxes, 1949	2,532.03	10,437.46	10,992.47	1,977.04	NONE
Motor Excise Taxes, 1950		73,528.19	56,145.67	3,408.55	13,973.97
Water Liens added to 1948 Taxes	302.94		302.94		NONE
Water Liens added to 1949 Taxes	27.89	91.00	118.89		NONE
Water Liens added to 1950 Taxes		1,700.27	788.73		NONE
Total	\$94,358.57	\$1,097,869.58	\$1,047,134.04	\$26,040.59	\$117,893.81

RESERVE FUND

Transfers To:

Selectmen's Department	\$851.30
Accountant's Department	50.00
Collector's Department	290.16
Assessors' Department	150.00
Police Department	858.50
Traffic Lights	29.00
Fire Department	544.62
Building Commissioner's Department	815.07
Tree Warden's Department	355.20
Dog Officer	292.50
Highway Department	2,000.00
Harbor Master's Department	348.00
Veterans' Benefits	2,000.00
Beach Committee	1,242.50
Old Silver Beach	490.00
Community Center Building	1,857.23
Policemen's Pensions	1,126.50
Fire Insurance	92.69
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Total	\$13,393.27

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

Payable	Ladder Truck	Sewer	Water	Total
1951	\$4,000.00	\$6,000.00	\$12,000.00	\$22,000.00
1952	4,000.00	6,000.00	12,000.00	22,000.00
1953	4,000.00	6,000.00	12,000.00	22,000.00
1954	4,000.00	6,000.00	11,800.00	21,800.00
1955		6,000.00	10,500.00	16,500.00
1956		6,000.00	6,000.00	12,000.00
1957		6,000.00	5,500.00	11,500.00
1958		6,000.00	4,800.00	10,800.00
1959		6,000.00	1,500.00	7,500.00
1960		6,000.00	1,500.00	7,500.00
1961		6,000.00	1,500.00	7,500.00
1962		6,000.00	1,500.00	7,500.00
1963		6,000.00	1,000.00	7,000.00
1964		5,000.00	1,000.00	6,000.00
1965		5,000.00		5,000.00
1966		5,000.00		5,000.00
1967		5,000.00		5,000.00
1968		5,000.00		5,000.00
1969		5,000.00		5,000.00
1970		5,000.00		5,000.00
1971		5,000.00		5,000.00
1972		5,000.00		5,000.00
1973		5,000.00		5,000.00
1974		5,000.00		5,000.00
1975		5,000.00		5,000.00
1976		5,000.00		5,000.00
1977		5,000.00		5,000.00
Total	\$16,000.00	\$148,000.00	\$82,600.00	\$246,600.00

INTEREST ON INDEBTEDNESS

Payable	Ladder Truck	Sewer	Water	Total
1951	\$320.00	\$3,700.00	\$1,542.00	\$5,562.00
1952	240.00	3,550.00	1,302.00	5,092.00
1953	160.00	3,400.00	1,062.00	4,622.00
1954	80.00	3,250.00	844.00	4,174.00
1955		3,100.00	601.00	3,701.00
1956		2,950.00	436.00	3,386.00
1957		2,800.00	321.00	3,121.00
1958		2,650.00	218.00	2,868.00
1959		2,500.00	145.00	2,645.00
1960		2,350.00	115.00	2,465.00
1961		2,200.00	85.00	2,285.00
1962		2,050.00	55.00	2,105.00
1963		1,900.00	30.00	1,930.00
1964		1,750.00	10.00	1,760.00
1965		1,625.00		1,625.00
1966		1,500.00		1,500.00
1967		1,375.00		1,375.00
1968		1,250.00		1,250.00
1969		1,125.00		1,125.00
1970		1,000.00		1,000.00
1971		875.00		875.00
1972		750.00		750.00
1973		625.00		625.00
1974		500.00		500.00
1975		375.00		375.00
1976		250.00		250.00
1977		125.00		125.00
Total	\$800.00	\$49,525.00	\$6,766.00	\$57,091.00

TRUST FUNDS

LAWRENCE HIGH SCHOOL FUND

January 1, 1950

Cash	\$412.74
Deposits in Savings Banks	9,388.70
Securities, Par Value	2,500.00

\$12,301.44

Receipts—

Interest & Dividends	419.57
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\$12,721.01

Payments—

High School Teachers	412.74
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December 31, 1950

Cash	\$419.57
Deposits in Savings Banks	9,388.70
Securities, Par Value	2,500.00

\$12,308.27

JAMES R. JEWETT SCHOLARSHIP FUND

January 1, 1950

Cash	\$87.50
Deposits in Savings Bank	260.89
Securities, Par Value	5,000.00

\$5,348.39

Receipts—

Interest	127.61
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\$5,476.00

Payments—		
Tuition		75.00
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December 31, 1950		
Cash	\$137.50	
Deposit in Savings Bank	263.50	
Securities, Par Value	5,000.00	
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		\$5,401.00
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ESTHER E. BEEBE LIBRARY FUND		
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Securities, Par Value	\$7,500.00	
Increase in Principal	1,652.28	
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		\$9,152.28
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ESTHER E. BEEBE FUND INCOME		
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January 1, 1950		
Cash	\$302.37	
Securities, Par Value	1,000.00	
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		\$1,302.37
Receipts—		
Income from Principal Fund	\$100.00	
Interest	30.00	
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		130.00
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		\$1,432.37
Payments—		352.64
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December 31, 1950		
Cash	\$79.73	
Securities, Par Value	1,000.00	
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		\$1,079.73

E. PIERSON BEEBE LIBRARY FUND

January 1, 1950

Deposit in Savings Bank	\$193.75	
Securities, Par Value	8,000.00	
		\$8,193.75

Receipts—

Interest & Dividends		216.35
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\$8,410.10

Payments—

83.85

December 31, 1950

Deposit in Savings Bank	\$326.25
Securities, Par Value	8,000.00

\$8,326.25

JOSEPH J. HOLLAND LIBRARY FUND

January 1, 1950

Deposit in Savings Bank	\$117.52	
Securities, Par Value	300.00	

\$417.52

Receipts—

Interest & Dividends		9.69
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December 31, 1950

Deposit in Savings Bank	\$127.21
Securities, Par Value	300.00

\$427.21

CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

January 1, 1950

Deposit in Savings Banks	\$32,501.26	
Securities, Par Value	33,000.00	

\$65,501.26

Receipts—

Deposits for Perpetual Care		675.00
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Deposit in Savings Bank	\$33,176.26	
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Securities, Par Value	33,000.00	
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\$66,176.26

CEMETERY FUND INCOME

January 1, 1950

Cash		\$2,266.25
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Receipts—

Interest & Dividends	\$1,636.24	
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Town Appropriations	1,033.70	
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\$2,669.94

Payments—

Care of Lots		\$4,936.19
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2,556.90

December 31, 1950

Cash		\$2,379.29
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POST-WAR REHABILITATION FUND

January 1, 1950

Cash	\$10,939.89	
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Securities, Par Value	100,000.00	
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\$110,939.89

Receipts—

Interest	\$725.27	
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Profit on sale of Bonds	1,250.00	
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\$1,975.27

\$112,915.16

Bond Sold for New School		\$100,000.00
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December 31, 1950

Cash		\$12,915.16
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**TOWN OF FALMOUTH
BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31, 1950**

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

ASSETS

Cash:

General	\$510,478.23
Water	27,387.98

\$537,866.21

Accounts Receivable:

Taxes—

Levy of 1949

Personal	\$249.20
Real Estate	15,073.91

Levy of 1950

Polls	70.00
Personal	5,741.82
Real Estate	81,873.37

\$103,008.30

Motor Excise Taxes—

Levy of 1950	13,973.97
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Tax Titles	5,589.92
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Tax Possessions	2,047.88
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Departmental—

Ambulance	\$338.00
Health	121.14
Welfare	380.81
Aid to Dependent Children	6,130.90
Old Age Assistance	635.96
Veterans' Benefits	221.00
School	1,175.75

\$9,003.56

Water—		
Rates	\$23,513.31	
Liens, 1950	911.54	
	<hr/>	\$24,424.85
Aid to Highways—		
State	\$6,228.90	
County	4,614.45	
		\$10,843.35
Under Estimates, 1950:		
Overlay, 1948	\$368.99	
Overlay, 1949	1,768.20	
State Parks & Reservations	451.79	
State Audit of Municipal Accounts	.88	
Water Department Deficit	103.79	
	<hr/>	\$2,693.65
Loans Authorized:		1,327,500.00
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Total		\$2,036,951.69
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LIABILITIES & RESERVES		
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Temporary Loans:		
In anticipation of Revenue		\$8,000.00
Loans Authorized Unissued		1,327,500.00
Federal Withholding Taxes		5,273.18
Reserve for Tax Title Sales		300.28
Tailings:		
Departmental	\$250.52	
Water	109.92	
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Over Estimates, 1950		
Cape Cod Mosquito Control	\$4.76	
County Tax	4,622.41	
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Sale of Town Property	5,033.74
Cemetery Fund Income	2,379.29
Lawrence Fund Income	419.57
Post-War Fund Income	11,665.16
Post-War Fund Profit	1,250.00
Jewett Fund Income	137.50
Dog Licenses For County	10.80

Federal Grants:

Aid to Dependent Children—	
Administration	\$429.55
Aid	4,113.27
Old Age Assistance—	
Administration	589.35
Assistance	1,539.03

 \$6,671.20

Appropriation Balances	350,031.43
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Reserve Fund:

Overlay Surplus	27,883.22
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Overlay Reserved For Abatement Of Taxes

Levy of 1950	6,704.84
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Revenue Reserved Until Collected:

Tax Titles	\$5,589.92
Tax Possessions	2,047.88
Motor Excise Taxes	13,973.97
Aid to Highways	10,843.35
Departmental	9,003.56
Water	24,424.85

 \$65,883.53
Surplus Revenue

Excess & Deficiency	212,820.34
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 Total \$2,036,951.69

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

	DR.	CR.
Net Fixed Or Funded Debt	\$246,600.00	
Serial Loans:		
Fire Department Ladder Truck		\$16,000.00
Woods Hole Sewer		148,000.00
Water Extensions—		
Saconnessett Hills		10,000.00
Sandwich Road		10,000.00
Old Silver Beach Village		16,000.00
Central Park Court		2,000.00
Cordwood Landing Road		8,000.00
Metoxit Road		14,000.00
L. S. White		2,500.00
Bay Road		2,000.00
Lillie & Morgan Roads		7,300.00
Allan Avenue		3,000.00
Bywater Court		1,800.00
Fairview & Allan Avenues		6,000.00
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	\$246,600.00	\$246,600.00

TRUST ACCOUNTS

	DR.	CR.
Investments:		
Cash & Securities	\$102,398.82	
Trust Funds:		
Lawrence High School Fund		11,888.70
James R. Jewett Scholarship Fund		5,348.39
Esther E. Beebe Library Fund		9,152.28
Esther E. Beebe Fund Income		1,079.73
E. Pierson Beebe Library Fund		8,326.25
Joseph J. Holland Library Fund		427.21
Cemetery Fund		66,176.26
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	\$102,398.82	\$102,398.82

CONTRIBUTORY RETIREMENT FUNDS

	DR.	CR.
Investments:		
Cash & Securities	\$76,916.66	
Retirement Funds:		
Annuity Savings Fund		\$47,288.49
Annuity Reserve Fund		1,059.41
Pension Fund		25,830.34
Special Military Fund		673.21
Expense Fund		411.30
Undistributed Income		1,653.91
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	\$76,916.66	\$76,916.66

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

	Estimate	Actual
Income Tax	\$81,372.03	\$67,867.00
Corporation Tax	95,998.30	58,352.78
Publicly Owned Land	510.02	416.84
Old Age Tax (Meals)	1,986.50	2,005.21
Motor Vehicle Excise	40,000.00	66,338.36
Licenses	15,000.00	20,338.50
Fines	200.00	655.00
General Government	1,000.00	1,344.30
Protection of Persons & Property	1,500.00	2,116.65
Health & Sanitation	2,000.00	4,606.50
Charities	20,000.00	33,732.07
Old Age Assistance	32,000.00	45,542.48
Veterans' Benefits	2,000.00	5,052.58
Schools	3,500.00	4,132.94
Libraries	200.00	331.49
Recreation	5,000.00	3,680.99
Public Service (Water Dept.)	107,484.38	106,551.58
Interest on Taxes	2,500.00	2,171.84
Gas & Electric Franchise Tax	1,010.17	1,446.97
In Lieu of Taxes	3,400.00	3,492.40
School Transportation		15,367.66
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	\$416,661.40	\$445,544.14
Actual in Excess of Estimate	\$28,882.74	

Respectfully submitted,

RAWSON C. JENKINS

Town Accountant.

The Town Report Cover

Brief History of Lawrence High School

By Virginia Marshall, Class of 1952

The history of the Lawrence High School apparently got its start in 1811 when the desire of the town to provide for teaching its children led to the building of the first school in Falmouth.

The original building is today part of the building used by the American Legion as a headquarters.

On March 7, 1835, the institution was incorporated as the Falmouth Academy with Mr. R. O. Gardner serving as the first principal.

On January 17, 1842, the proprietors were notified of the death of Shubael Lawrence and the legacy left the Academy by him. The following is a copy of the will of Shubael Lawrence:

I give and bequeath to the corporation and the proprietors of the Falmouth Academy in Falmouth, ten thousand dollars in money to be paid the overseers of said Academy in trust and for the benefit of said Corporation and Proprietors, which shall be invested in some safe stock by said Overseers and always remain a permanent fund for said Academy, the interest or income of which shall forever be applied annually to the payment of the salary for a teacher or preceptor for said Academy, provided that the said Academy shall as soon after my decease as a change of name can be lawfully effected, be known and called the Lawrence Academy in Falmouth and not otherwise.

This will written September 2, 1841, was witnessed by Robert A. Coffin, Davis Hatch, and Thomas Lewis.

The legacy was gratefully accepted and steps were taken to petition the legislature to change the name of Falmouth Academy to Lawrence Academy; this the legislature promptly did and Lawrence Academy came into being with Mr. Robert A. Coffin as the first principal.

In 1891, the town purchased from the stockholders of Lawrence Academy for the sum of \$3000.00 all the real estate of the Lawrence Academy and the school was renamed Lawrence High School. The growing need for public education had made itself evident and Falmouth was now ready to offer the opportunity of free high school education to all deserving children of the town. It had acquired a building that was well equipped and that for many years had enjoyed an excellent reputation as an Academy.

Mr. Leland B. Lane was elected first principal of Lawrence High School in April 1891 with a salary of \$1000.00 for thirty-six weeks.

During the first year as a public school under Mr. Lane's guidance there is every evidence that the enrollment increased and that public secondary education answered a real need in Falmouth.

At the annual town meeting of 1894 the town voted to raise and appropriate \$6000 for land and \$20,000 for the new Lawrence High School building. The town continued spending money for the new high school through 1895 and 1896 by raising and appropriating \$6,000 for furnishings and \$1,500 for laboratory equipment.

The new Lawrence High School was completed and opened for classes in 1895 for the first time with an enrollment of sixty-two pupils. The chief cause of the increased enrollment was the policy adopted by the town of free transportation for pupils from every section.

The new school was considered to be an outstanding example of the ideal school. A picture of the school was published in several leading educational journals over the article on "Ideal School" by Andrew Draper of the University of Illinois. A cut of the school was published in the "Youth's Companion", a periodical of this period published for boys and girls.

The school was a two story building. The basement was laid out with toilet facilities for boys and girls, a girls' coat room, a boys' coat room, a room later used as a gymnasium and a room later used as a domestic science room. On the second floor were a large main room, four classrooms, principal's office and a small reception room. The third floor contained two classrooms, two small storage rooms, one of which is now in use as a classroom.

During this first year the Lawrence High School Improvement Society was formed and by its many activities money was raised to purchase a piano and works of art to decorate the building. This society continued active for many years and presented to the school many fine pictures and busts that today adorn the walls and corridors of Lawrence High School.

The first school publication, "The Pioneer", was written by the students of Lawrence High School and was published to encourage the art of literary expression among the student body.

Mr. Fred C. Stewart was appointed to succeed Mr. Leland Lane as principal. During Mr. Stewart's term as principal, athletics and physical education developed rapidly as evidenced by his request "to equip a gymnasium in the basement for noon time recreation".

Physical education became part of the regular school work in 1905 when the Ling System of Swedish gymnastics was introduced.

During the year 1908, Lawrence High School was approved by the State Board of Education and could now certify its graduates to the Normal Schools of the State.

The following year, Mr. George Howland became principal and Miss Helen Allen was added to the faculty as French teacher. Early in Mr. Howland's term as principal, the school was examined by the College Entrance Examination Board and placed on the list of certificate schools for one year. The school was placed on this list until October 1, 1949, when the makeup of the College Entrance Board was changed so that the certification was done away with throughout the New England area. All students going to college are now required to take college entrance examinations.

In 1910, a new heating and ventilating system was installed in the High School. This improved the facilities. This improvement did not, however, override the fact that there was not enough room to accommodate the increased enrollment.

In 1911, the town voted to build an addition to the present school, thus increasing the seating capacity from seventy to one hundred and thirty. The addition to the building provided two rooms for the commercial department on the second floor.

The addition to the high school building provided a spacious well lighted recitation room on the second floor and a room in the basement "which can be used for manual training".

In 1913, we have a recommendation for an intermediate school to bridge the gap between the elementary school and the high school and to organize two or more courses with reference to the needs and aptitudes of particular groups of children. Thus we see the first step toward the Junior High School organization that was to follow.

The school year 1919-1920 opened with several important changes in school organization.

The introduction of courses in Physical Education with a special director in charge were started in 1919. "This department should include medical inspection and the follow up work of the school nurse as well as gymnasium classes for the High School."

The second fundamental change was the organization of the Junior High School. Grades seven and eight were brought, together with grade nine (freshman year of high school), under one organization and administration with differentiated courses and departmental instruction. This type of school had become at this time well established in other parts of New England, but was new to Cape Cod.

During the year 1921, the experiment of running a school lunch room was tried and proved very successful. This work was carried on in connection with the domestic science classes.

In the School Report of 1923, Mr. Paul Dillingham made his first report as Superintendent of the Falmouth Schools. Mr. Dillingham is the present superintendent of schools.

This was the first year of the Parent-Teachers' Organization and a start also was made toward the institution of a Scholarship Fund to

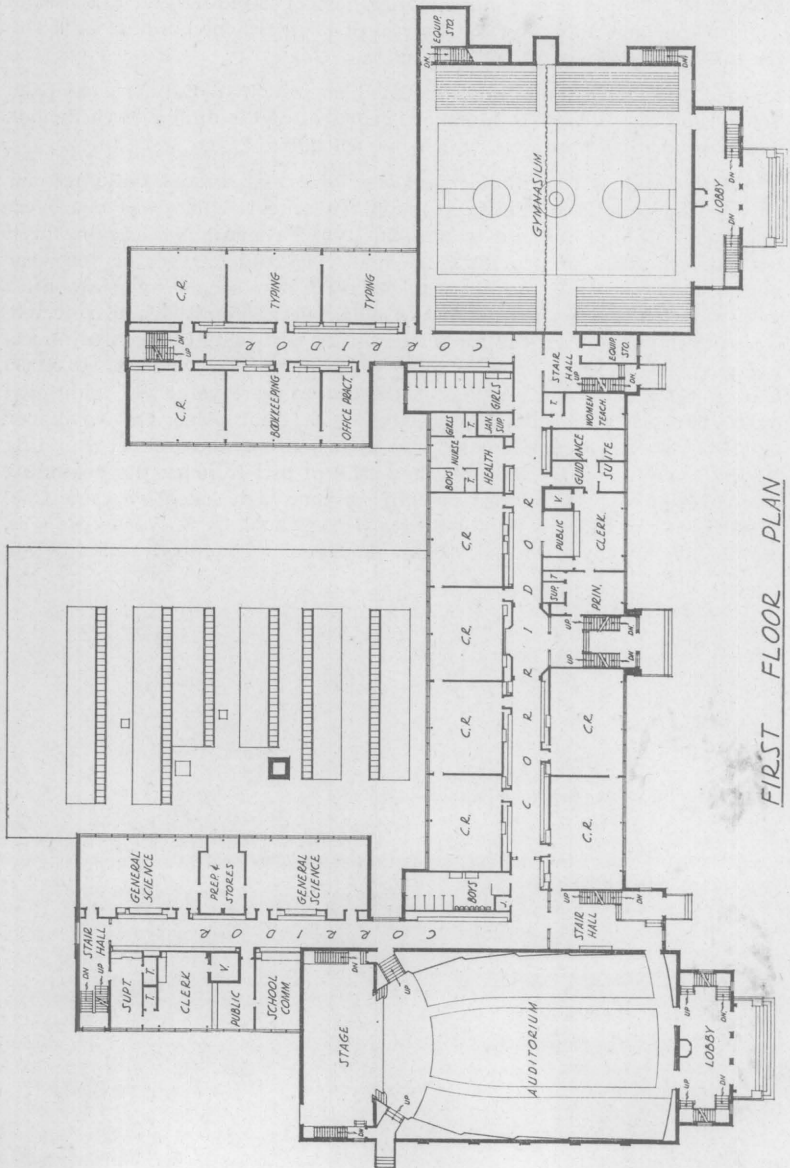
furnish prizes for excellent work and to establish scholarships for use of graduates.

The town voted in February, 1924, to appropriate the sum of \$135,000.00 to build a new Junior High School Building and \$1,500.00 to acquire the land adjoining the Lawrence High School building as a site for the proposed new school building.

In 1936, Mr. Blynn Davis resigned as principal of Lawrence High School and Mr. Russell B. Marshall, principal of the Junior High School, was elected to the position, which he still holds.

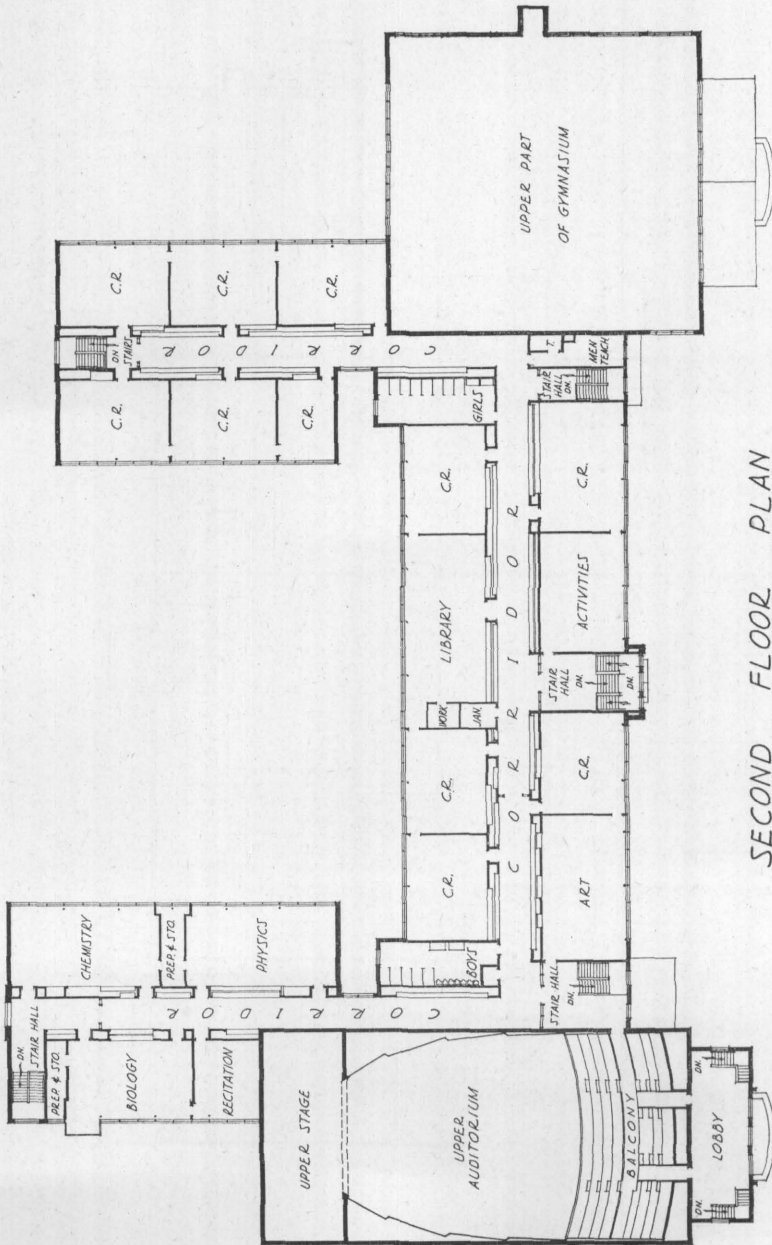
The vision of the planners of the local high school buildings has never been prophetic enough to supply a school which was not overcrowded within a few years and in 1940, Falmouth was again faced with the problem of providing adequate facilities. Over the ten year period of 1940 to 1950, the progress toward a new school was slow. Sites were selected and turned down and plans were submitted and rejected, committees were appointed for further study until finally the town meeting members in the February town meeting of 1950 voted \$1,500,000.00 and in Special Town Meeting of the same year, voted an additional \$80,000.00 for six additional rooms to the original plans. On November 21, 1950, Mr. Herbert Hunziker, as chairman of the School Building Needs Committee, took the first shovelfull of dirt to mark the beginning of construction of the largest modern six-year high school on Cape Cod. The drawing of the new Junior-Senior High School, by S. Wesley Haynes, architect, is the cover for the 1950 Annual Report of the town of Falmouth.

New Junior-Senior High School Floor Plans

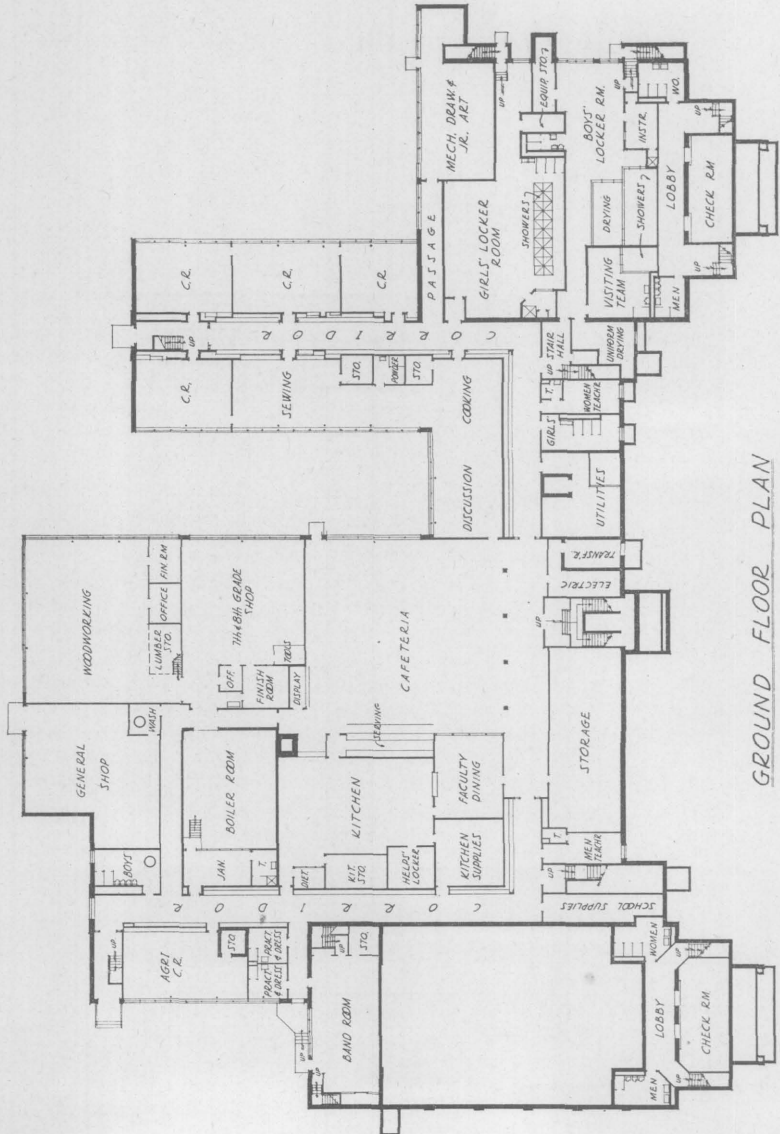


FIRST FLOOR PLAN

New Junior-Senior High School Floor Plans



SECOND FLOOR PLAN



Standing Votes of the Town of Falmouth

The following have been adopted as standing votes of the Town of Falmouth.

ARTICLE I. Town Meetings.

Section 1. Long or complicated motions, and any other motions which he shall so request, shall be presented to the moderator in writing.

Section 2. No vote involving the expenditure of any sum of money shall be reconsidered at the same meeting at which it is passed, unless public notice of the intention to move such reconsideration be given within thirty minutes of the passage of such vote. The town clerk shall note in writing the passage of such vote and also the time when the notice of reconsideration is given.

ARTICLE II. Annual Town Report

Section 1. The annual town report shall contain:

(a) The reports of all town boards, officers and committees having the control or expenditure of the town's money, including a list of all indebtedness against their departments, which does not appear in their financial statement.

(b) A report of all town meetings held during the year, including the articles of the warrant and the action of the meeting thereon.

(c) Reports or abstracts of reports, of all special committees made at any meetings held during the year, together with any action taken at said meetings, including committee appointments and resolutions passed.

(d) All by-laws, rules, regulations and standing votes in force covering town meetings or relating to the town business.

ARTICLE III. Selectmen

Section 1. The selectmen shall have a general oversight of all town affairs, whether conducted by special boards or not; and have the right to make any suggestions for the better conduct of the department, board or committee, and if such recommendations are not heeded, they shall make a record of the same in the annual town report, that the town may take such action as seems best.

Section 2. The Selectmen shall appoint suitable persons to the offices of surveyors of wood, surveyors of lumber, fire wards, public weighers, fence viewers and field drivers.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of the selectmen to purchase for the several boards or committees, except water commissioners, oil, coal and fuel oil. The various boards and committees shall, on or before July 1 in each year (or earlier if required by the selectmen) send in writing to the board of selectmen the estimated amount of oil, coal and fuel oil required for the use of their respective departments or committees for one year. The selectmen shall, prior to the 15th of July in each year, advertise for bids to furnish the required amount of oil, coal and fuel oil, and shall award the contracts to the lowest responsible bidder. The contractor for oil, coal and fuel oil shall give bonds in an amount satisfactory to the selectmen (said bonds to be not less than one quarter of the total contract) for the faithful performance of his contract.

Section 4. The selectmen shall include in their annual report to the town:

(a) A general statement of the town's affairs during the past year and recommendations of the selectmen for future requirements.

(b) A report of all claims which are outstanding and all suits to which the town is a party, together with a full explanation of the circumstances and the standing of each case at the time of the report.

(c) A report of all streets laid out or constructed during the year, the length and width, cost of construction and amount of land damages in each instance.

(d) A list of betterments assessed during the year.

ARTICLE IV. Water Commissioners

Section 1. The water commissioners are authorized and directed to make minor extensions of water mains when, in their judgment, such action would be for the interest of the town, the cost of such extensions to be paid from the funds in their hands, provided that not more than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) be expended on such extension in any one year.

ARTICLE V. Highway Surveyor

Section. 1. The highway surveyor shall have authority to award contracts for building new roads.

ARTICLE VI. Transportation

Section 1. No elected officer of the town of Falmouth shall receive any compensation for transportation within the limits of the town.

Section 2. When any officer or member of any board, paid or unpaid, is called upon to go to any point outside the town of Falmouth on official business connected with the duties of his office, he shall be entitled to receive pay on the following basis: If he travels by rail or by water, he shall be allowed the amount of his fare; if he travels by motor vehicle, he shall be allowed at the rate of five (5) cents per mile of travel.

Section 3. Where it is necessary to transport by automobile or truck any laborers employed by any department of the Town, (a) the expense incurred shall be charged in as "transportation of labor"; (b) all charges for transportation of labor shall be made on the basis of so much per hour or per day for the actual time consumed by the conveyance in transporting the labor; (c) all expenses for transportation of labor shall be charged against the appropriation for that particular work on which the transported laborers are employed.

Section 4. Any automobile or truck employed by the town and carrying one or more laborers whose work is connected directly with the operation of the truck, or any apparatus or materials carried by the truck, shall be charged under "trucking" at so much per hour or day, and shall not be entitled to any additional charges for transportation of labor.

ARTICLE VII. General

Section 1. At any town meeting when special committees are appointed or elected a vote shall be passed naming the compensation of the committee and also a sum of money for expenses of such committee, otherwise the selectmen shall not draw orders on the treasurer for either services or expenses.

Section 2. All departments are authorized and empowered to consult counsel at any time in connection with their duties.

Section 3. Funds belonging to the town in the hands of the tax collector shall only be withdrawn from the bank on orders countersigned by at least two of the selectmen.

Section 4. Any persons indebted to the town for poll taxes or otherwise shall have such debt deducted before payment by the treasurer from any sum due him from the town for work on roads or for any other service performed.

Section 5. On all town work, for the performance of which competitive bids are received, the award of the contract shall be to the lowest responsible bidder; preference always going to citizens, when other conditions of the situation are equal.

Section 6. All bids for advertised contracts of the town shall be returnable at the selectmen's office at a given time and shall be publicly opened and read by one of the selectmen at that time.

By-Laws of the Town of Falmouth

The following constitute the by-laws of the Town of Falmouth, duly approved, (except the Zoning By-Law which is printed in a separate booklet.)

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Section 1. There shall be a finance committee, consisting of fifteen voters of the town, of whom five shall be elected for the term of one year, five for the term of two years, and five for the term of three years, and thereafter five be elected annually. They shall serve without compensation. The moderator shall at each meeting appoint a committee of three to retire and nominate the requisite number of voters, who shall if elected by the meeting, become members of the finance committee.

Section 2. The finance committee shall choose one of their number as chairman, and likewise choose a clerk. Said committee may consider such questions with reference to the conduct of the town affairs as they may deem advisable, and may consult with any and all officers, boards, and committees of the town with reference to matters under their supervision; they shall consider the various articles in the warrant for any annual or special meeting, called during their tenure of office, and shall make a report of their doings and recommendations to the town.

Section 3. The finance committee may hold hearings if in their judgment it be expedient, but shall expend no money unless authorized by vote of the town.

Section 4. Vacancies in said committees shall be filled in the same manner as in case of other committees or boards of the town.

(Originally approved by the Attorney General, April 8, 1911.) (Approved as amended by the Attorney General, March 10, 1916.) Revised in 1922.

BY-LAW ESTABLISHING ANNUAL TOWN AUDIT

There shall be an annual audit of the Town's accounts under the supervision of the Director of Accounts of the Department of Corporations and Taxation in accordance with the provisions of Section 35, Chapter 44, General Laws.

(Approved by the Attorney General March 14, 1945)

BY-LAW AS TO GUARANTEE OF WATER MAIN EXTENSIONS

All future extensions of the water mains, except such as in the opinion of the Water Commissioners are necessary to improve the system shall be under a guarantee of not less than nine percent annual income unless the town shall decide otherwise by a two-thirds vote at an annual meeting.

(Approved by Attorney General, April 9th, 1925.)

BY-LAW ESTABLISHING HOURS OF DUTY FOR FIREMEN

1. The hours of duty of each regularly employed fireman shall be 84 hours per week, except in the case of an emergency as hereinafter provided, the hours of duty to be allocated as designated by the Chief of the Fire Department.

2. Notwithstanding the foregoing provision the regularly employed firemen of the Town shall be subject to immediate recall to duty at any time on emergency signal of the Chief or Acting Chief of the Fire Department.

(Approved by the Attorney General on April 16, 1948)

FIRE PREVENTION BY-LAWS IN BUILDINGS

Section 1. Chimneys.

Par. 1. All chimneys hereafter built in any building, used for habitation, business, or for public assembly, shall be built of brick or other incombustible material, constructed from the ground up and not supported or hung in any way by wood or other combustible material.

Par. 2. All chimneys shall have a terra-cotta flue lining, unless the chimney walls are 8 inches or more in thickness and shall be carried up to at least 1 ft. above the highest point of the roof.

Par. 3. No smoke pipe or metal flue shall pass through any wooden partition without a safety thimble of fire-proof material, the thickness of the partition.

Section 2. Fire Stops.

Par. 1. All buildings used for habitation, business or for public assembly hereafter erected, shall have fire stops in the material composed of some incombustible material, set with mortar in the following manner:

(a) **IN BRICK OR STONE BUILDINGS:** the space between the furring on the walls and between the studding of all partitions shall be filled solid and flush to a height of 1 inch above the floor partition in each story. The space between such partitions of all floor joists as rest on partition heads shall also be filled to the same width as the studding above.

(b) **IN WOODEN BUILDINGS:** the spaces between the studs of bearing partitions in the 1st story, between the studs of each exterior wall in

the 1st story as carry the end of floor joists, shall severally be stopped by solid filling up to at least the level of the finished floor; also all the spaces between the floor joists directly above a bearing partition in whatever story constructed, shall be severally filled with such solid filling, in all cases, so as to effectively check any draft from one story, to another or from the horizontal spaces between the floor joists to the vertical spaces in the walls and partitions.

(c) **IN ALL BUILDINGS:** the spaces between the strings of stairs and joists of landings, unless unceiled, shall be fire stopped to prevent passage of air.

(d) **THE SPACES AROUND CHIMNEYS OR OTHER FLUES:** and other flues inside of studdings or furring, making an air duct, are to be thoroughly fire stopped with suitable incombustible material.

Par. 2. This shall not apply to temporary buildings or other small buildings, not used for habitation, or which may be maintained during the course of the erection of a permanent structure.

Section 6. Notification of Intent to Build, etc.

Par. 1. Before the erection of any structure; or for any alteration or reconstruction, except ordinary repairs; the owner or builder shall notify the Building Inspector of the intent to build, reconstruct or alter.

Par. 2. This shall not apply to small wooden buildings not to be used for the purpose of habitation, business or public assembly and not more than 10 ft. in length or breadth and 7 ft. in height.

Section 7. Penalty.

Par. 1. Whoever performs or causes to be performed any work or construction in violation of this By-Law or any part thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$25 for each violation.

Section 8. Authority of the Building Inspector.

Par. 1. The Building Inspector, in the name of the town, may take such measures as the public safety requires, to carry this By-Law into effect.

(Approved by the Attorney General on September 17, 1928.)

BY-LAW ESTABLISHING ELECTRICAL ORDINANCE, TOWN OF FALMOUTH

1. No person shall install wires, conduits, apparatus, fixtures, or other appliances for carrying or using electricity for light, heat, or power within, or connected to any building, without first notifying the Inspector of Wires, in writing, of the proposed installation.

2. Whoever violates this By-Law, shall be subject to a fine, of not more than Twenty Dollars.

(Approved by the Attorney General April 16, 1948)

**BY-LAWS AS TO TOWN MEETINGS AND CONDUCT OF
TOWN MEETINGS**

BY-LAW AS TO NOTICES OF TOWN MEETINGS

Notice of every Town Meeting shall be given by posting a copy of the warrant therefor in every postoffice in the Town, at least seven days before the time appointed for such meeting. Such further notice of any Town Meetings may be given as the Selectmen deem proper.

(Approved by the Attorney General, November 3, 1939.)

ARTICLE I. Town Meetings

Section 1. The Annual Town Meeting shall be held on the first or second Tuesday after the first Wednesday in February but that portion of said meeting held for the election of town officers shall take place on the succeeding Tuesday.

(Approved by the Attorney General, April 3, 1946.)

Section 2. The selectmen shall cause to be published in the local newspaper at least seven days before any special town meetings the recommendations and estimates of all committees (except the finance committee) relating to the expenditure of money, upon which action is to be taken.

Section 3. The articles shall be considered in the order in which they appear in the warrant. Articles calling for appropriations shall be grouped together in the warrant and those articles referred from previous town meetings shall take an early place in the warrant.

Section 4.

(a) The main body of the house shall be reserved for registered voters, all others to use the gallery or seats on the platform.

(b) If any one voter rises in his place and questions a "yea and nay" vote, without further discussion a hand vote shall be taken.

(c) All articles shall be considered in the order in which they appear in the warrant.

(Approved by the Attorney General, April 17, 1925.)

BY-LAW AS TO JUNK COLLECTORS AND DEALERS

Section 1. Every dealer in and keeper of a shop for the purchase, sale or barter of junk, old metals or second-hand articles in this town shall be licensed.

Section 2. Every collector of junk, old metals and second-hand articles in this town shall be licensed.

(Approved by the Attorney General, May 13, 1919.)

**REGULATIONS GOVERNING HAWKERS AND PEDDLERS OF
MEATS, BUTTER, CHEESE, FISH, AND FRESH
FRUIT OR VEGETABLES**

Section 1. No person, unless duly licensed by the Director of Standards of the Commonwealth, shall go from place to place in this town selling or bartering, or carrying or exposing for sale or barter, any meats, butter, cheese, fish, or fresh fruit or vegetables, in or from any cart, wagon or other vehicle, or in any other manner, without a license therefor from the Board of Selectmen provided, however, that this section shall not apply to any person who sells only fruits or vegetables obtained by his own labor or the labor of his family.

Section 2. The Board of Selectmen shall have authority to grant such license to any person of good repute for morals and integrity who is, or has declared his intention to become, a citizen of the United States. Said licenses, unless sooner revoked by the Board of Selectmen, shall expire on the thirtieth day of April after the granting thereof, and each person so licensed shall pay therefor a fee of \$5.00.

Section 3. Every hawker and peddler licensed by the Board of Selectmen shall be assigned a number and shall be provided by the Town Clerk with a badge which shall be conspicuously worn by him. No person shall be assigned a badge or number until he presents a certificate from the Sealer of Weights and Measures stating that all weighing and measuring devices intended to be used by such person have been duly inspected and sealed as required by law. Whoever neglects to wear such badge, or wears it without authority, shall be punished by the penalty provided in Section 6 of these regulations.

Section 4. No person hawking, peddling or carrying or exposing any articles for sale shall cry his wares to the disturbance of the peace and comfort of the inhabitants of the town, or otherwise than in vehicles and receptacles which are neat and clean and do not leak.

Section 5. Any license granted under these regulations or any regulation amendatory or additional thereto may be revoked by the Selectmen.

Section 6. Whoever violates any provision of these regulations shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty dollars for each offense.

Section 7. Every vehicle or other receptacle used by a licensee as a conveyance for articles offered or exposed for sale by him shall have attached thereto on each side a number plate, to be furnished by the town with his license, bearing the number and date of expiration of such license.

Section 8. No persons shall be registered or assigned a badge or number plate under the provision of Sections 3 and 5 of these by-laws until he presents a certificate from the Sealer of Weights and Measures stating that all weighing and measuring devices intended to be used by such person have been duly inspected and sealed as required by law. The use of or possession by such person with intent to use, any false or unsealed weighing or measuring devices, shall be sufficient cause for the revocation of his license, or the cancellation of his registration.

Section 9. Nothing in these by-laws shall be construed as conflicting with any license issued under the authority of the Commonwealth.

Section 10. Any license granted under these by-laws or any by-law amendatory or additional thereto, may be revoked by the (Board granting the same.)

Section 11. Whoever violates any provision of these by-laws shall be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty dollars for each offense.

Section 12. All by-laws or parts of by-laws inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

(Approved by Attorney General, May 13, 1919.)

BY-LAW AS TO TOWN CONTRACTS

On all contracts for labor, materials, supplies, equipment, merchandise or other articles wherein the amount involved is \$500 or more, the Board, Department, Committee or Officials of the Town in charge of the expenditure of such money shall be required to submit the awarding of the same to public bid and no expenditure shall be permitted of \$500 or in excess thereof unless the same shall have been awarded upon public bid.

(Approved by the Attorney General, March 31, 1941.)

RULES FOR AMBULANCE SERVICE

1. Before accompanying a patient to the hospital in the ambulance the patient must first be seen by a doctor, and a nurse must have an order direct from the doctor, with diagnosis and condition of patient. Emergency accident cases not included in this requirement.

2. Only residents of the township of Falmouth may be accompanied by a Falmouth nurse. This excludes patients from Nantucket, the Vineyard, or Naushon, who may land at Woods Hole requiring ambulance transportation.

3. On a return trip from the hospital, no patient may be taken home without first obtaining orders direct from the doctor.

4. Patients with diphtheria, scarlet fever, typhoid, poliomyelitis or meningitis **shall not** be accompanied by the visiting nurse.

5. The ambulance to call for the nurse at the Health Center except in emergencies when she will go directly to the scene of an accident if the doctor so wishes.

6. Charges for transportation to surrounding hospitals are: Hyannis \$10, Wareham \$10, New Bedford \$15, Boston \$25 for residents—this fee to be doubled for non-residents—also charge for Driver's and Nurse's meals to be included if trips occur during their regular meal hour.

7. If the ambulance is ordered for a patient, who in the judgment of the nurse does not require ambulance transportation, she may on her return report the case to the supervising nurse.

8. A charge of 75 cents per hour is charged for this service from the time the nurse leaves the Health Center until she returns.

9. On Sundays and holidays the nurse shall accompany **emergency cases** only.

10. The ambulance may be called only by members of the police department, the fire department, or a local physician.

List of Statutes Accepted by the Town of Falmouth

(From 1890 to 1950 Inclusive)

- 1890 Voted to accept Chapter 82, Sections 7 to 17 of the Public Statutes and Chapter 186 Acts of 1884 regarding Perpetual care funds.
- 1891 Voted to accept Chapter 347, Acts of 1890, in relation to Public Libraries.
- 1891 Voted to accept Chapter 382, Acts of 1891, regarding betterments.
- 1891 Voted to accept Chapter 36, Section 29 of the Public Statutes regarding impounding of beasts.
- 1892 Voted to accept Chapter 386, Acts of 1890, and all amendments of said chapter, with reference to town elections, warrants therefor and ballots.
- 1895 Voted to accept Sections 267-268-269, of Chapter 417, of the Acts of 1892 regarding election of officers.
- 1896 Voted to accept Sections 40 to 48 inclusive of Chapter 102, of the Public Statutes relating to steam boilers.
- 1897 Voted to accept Chapter 374, Acts of 1895 regarding Highway Surveyor.
- 1898 Voted to accept Section 101, Chapter 47, Acts of 1893, in relation to precinct voting.
- 1899 Voted to accept Sections 28-39 of Chapter 35 of the Public Statutes relating to Fire Department.
- 1902 Voted to accept Sections 33 to 36 inclusive of Chapter 32 of the Revised Laws of Massachusetts.
- 1903 Voted to accept Sections 1-14 inclusive of Chapter 28, of the Revised Laws of Massachusetts granting authority to lay out public parks within the Town limits.
- 1905 Voted to accept Section 22, Chapter 25 of the Revised Laws regarding watering of streets.
- 1908 Voted to accept Section 20, Chapter 106 of Revised Laws, relating to eight hours a day work.
- 1909 Voted to accept Chapter 209, of the Acts of 1908, providing for forest fire protection.
- 1912 Voted to accept Section 42, Chapter 49 of Revised Laws relating to side walks.
- 1912 Voted to accept Section 43, Chapter 49, of Revised Laws with reference to grading sidewalks or permits to dig up sidewalks.
- 1912 Voted to accept and adopt Section 539, Chapter 560, Acts of 1907, regarding election of Moderator.
- 1914 Voted to accept Chapter 807, Acts of 1913, providing compensation for laborers, workmen and mechanics employed by the Town for injuries sustained in the course of their employment.

- 1914 Voted to accept Chapter 835, Section 421, of the Acts of 1913 and amendments thereto providing for precinct voting at town elections.
- 1914 Voted (at State Election Nov. 3/14) to accept Chapter 217, Acts of 1914, from "An act relative to vacations of laborers employed by cities and towns." 195 yes 135 no.
- 1915 Acceptance of Chapter 128, Acts of 1915, with reference to licenses for planting clams and quahaugs.
- 1916 Voted to accept the provisions of Revised Laws Chapter 28, Section 16, and Revised Laws Chapter 48, Section 103 and all acts amendatory thereto, with reference to the establishing of building lines.
- 1917 Voted to accept Chapter 293, Acts of 1916, regarding licensing of motor vehicles carrying passengers for hire.
- 1917 Voted to accept Chapter 59, Acts of 1916, regarding the time of holding the Election of Town Officers at the annual town meeting.
- 1917 Voted to accept Chapter 153, Acts of 1916, regarding license fees for slaughter houses in towns of less than ten thousand inhabitants.
- 1917 Voted to accept Chapter 240, Section 1, of the Acts of 1916 relative to hours of labor of public employees and persons employed on public works.
- 1921 Voted to accept Section 97 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws authorizing the establishment of a Police Dept. under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.
- 1922 Voted to accept Section 37, Chapter 82 of the General Laws authorizing the establishing of building lines.
- 1923 Voted to accept the provisions of Sections 6-7 of Chapter 148 of the General Laws regarding the removal of combustible materials or maintaining a fire menace.
- 1924 Voted to accept Section 12 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws authorizing the acquisition of land and the erection, repair and maintenance of buildings for public baths or bathing places.
- 1924 Voted to accept Section 73 of Chapter 41, General Laws relating to Selectmen being a Board of Survey.
- 1925 Voted to accept Sections 84, 85 and 86 of Chapter 48 of the General Laws regarding associations or clubs of firemen.
- 1926 Voted to accept Section 37 of Chapter 82 of the General Laws as to establishing building lines.
- 1926 Voted to accept Section 3 of Chapter 143 of the General Laws authorizing by-laws regulating the construction and use of buildings.
- 1928 Voted to accept Sections 32-47 inclusive of Chapter 147, General Laws with reference to holding licensed boxing matches.
- 1928 Voted to accept Sections 42A, 42B, 42C, 42E, 42F of Chapter 40, General Laws (as added thereto by Chapter 391 of Acts of 1923, and amended by Chapter 107 of Acts of 1924) regarding making unpaid Water bills liens upon real estate.
- 1929 Voted to accept Sections 4-12 of General Laws, Chapter 143, giving certain rights to the Building Inspector.
- 1930 Voted to accept Chapter 288, Acts of 1928, providing for the establishment of a Sewerage System or Systems in Falmouth.
- 1930 Voted to accept Sections 21-28 inclusive of Chapter 136, General Laws as amended by Chapter 406 Acts of 1928, relating to permitting certain sports and games on the Lord's Day.
- 1930 Voted to accept Section 89 of Chapter 32 General Laws as amended by Section 1, Chapter 402 of Acts of 1928, relating to compensation paid to widows and children of police and firemen.

- 1931 Voted to accept Chapter 40, Section 6B, General Laws as inserted by Chapter 351, Acts of 1930, relating to the purchasing of uniforms for members of Police and Fire Departments.
- 1933 Voted to accept Section 13, Chapter 40 of the General Laws providing for establishment and maintenance of a municipal building insurance fund.
- 1935 Voted to accept Section 6A of Chapter 40 General Laws permitting towns to appropriate a limited amount of money for promoting the resources, advantages etc. of the town.
- 1936 Voted to accept Section 48 of Chapter 30 General Laws regarding Civil Service for the regular or permanent police and fire forces.
- 1936 Voted to accept Section 49 of Chapter 31, General Laws extending Civil Service to the Chief of Police.
- 1937 Voted to accept Section 85, Chapter 32 General Laws, amended by Chapter 439, Section 3, Acts of 1936 regulating the retirement of fire and police members from active service.
- 1938 Voted to accept Section 103A, Chapter 54 General Laws, (section inserted by Chapter 77, Acts of 1937, Section 1) providing for absentee voting at regular Town Elections.
- 1943 The Board of Selectmen as "retiring authority" under Section 60 Chapter 32, General Laws voted to accept Sections 56-59 inclusive of Chapter 32 as amended, including Chapter 514, Acts of 1943 relating to the retirement of certain Veterans.
- 1946 Voted to accept Section 23 of Chapter 39, General Laws, authorizing the election of town officers within seven days before or after the annual town meeting.
- 1947 Voted to accept Section 65, Chapter 44, General Laws relative to advance vacation pay.
- 1947 Voted to accept Sections 81F-81J Chapter 41, General Laws as amended by Chapter 211, Acts of 1936, providing for an "Improved Method of Municipal Planning."
- 1947 Voted to re-establish Planning Board, Section 81A, Chapter 41 General Laws as amended by Chapter 211 Acts of 1936 so Board consists of 5 to 9 members. (Changed 11/47 to seven members)
- 1947 Voted to accept Section 27A of General Laws, Chapter 40 that unfavorable action on proposed changes in Zoning By-Laws shall not be reconsidered within 2 years unless recommended by the Planning Board.
- 1948 Voted to accept Chapter 487, Acts of 1913, providing for the promotion of Firemen without Civil Service Examination of callmen added to permanent force. General Laws Chapter 48, Section 36.
- 1949 Voted to accept Chapter 588, Acts of 1948, re: increase in retirement allowances of former Members Contributing Retirement System.
- 1949 Voted to accept Chapter 576, Section 85E Acts of 1946 providing for the retirement for disability of members of the Fire Department.
- 1950 Voted to accept Section IIIA of the General Laws as inserted by Chapter 172 of the Acts of 1949 as to vacations for members of the regular or permanent police or fire forces.
- 1950 Voted to accept Section IIIB of the General Laws as inserted by Chapter 187 of the Acts of 1946 and Chapter 686 of the Acts of 1949 providing for sick leaves for foremen, laborers, workmen and mechanics regularly employed by the Town.

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Committees Failing To Make Reports

Although requested by the Board of Selectmen the following committees have failed to file their reports:

Committee to study possibilities of air transportation services at Coonamessett Airport.

Railroad Transportation Committee.